

# Annual Reports

of the

Town Officers

of

**MARLBORO**

NEW HAMPSHIRE

*for the year ending*

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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

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Moderator

**CHARLES B. KNIGHT**

Selectmen

<b>CHARLES F. WEBB,</b>	<b>Term expires 1947</b>
<b>CHARLES T. RICHARDSON,</b>	<b>Term expires 1948</b>
<b>WALTER E. BUCKMINSTER,</b>	<b>Term expires 1949</b>

Town Clerk

**OSCAR F. CROTEAU**

Town Treasurer

**CHARLES E. CARLTON**

Tax Collector

**DUTTON COUTTS**

Road Agent

**LEROY P. DERBY**

Auditor

**OLIVER DERBY**

Cemetery Committee

<b>CHARLES T. RICHARDSON,</b>	<b>Term expires 1947</b>
<b>ELEAZER PACKARD,</b>	<b>Term expires 1948</b>
<b>WILLIAM F. WHITCOMB,</b>	<b>Term expires 1949</b>

Sexton

**WILLIAM F. WHITCOMB**

Overseer of Poor

**CHARLES F. WEBB**

Town Hall Agent

**CHARLES G. LANG**

## Surveyors of Lumber

EDWARD GREEN                      WALTER BOSWORTH  
 ALDEN BEAUREGARD              FOREST L. HART  
 ERNEST FLINT

## Measurer of Wood and Bark

ALFRED H. BEAUREGARD              ALDEN BEAUREGARD

## Public Weighers

R. M. LAWRENCE                      GEORGE WARD  
 ARTHUR F. SEAVER

## Trustees of Trust Funds

KATE K. DAVIS,                      Term expires 1947  
 CHARLES B. KNIGHT,                Term expires 1948  
 ROLAND A. WHITNEY,                Term expires 1949

## Fence Viewers

THE SELECTMEN

## Fire Wards

WILFRED ARSENAULT                      FRED R. CLARK  
 DUTTON COUTTS                      ARTHUR H. KNIGHT

## Constable and Police Chief

WILLIAM F. WHITCOMB

## Appointed Officers

EDWARD BEAUREGARD                      PAUL LORENDEAU  
 CHARLES LANG

## Trustees of Frost Free Library

RUTH HEMENWAY,                      Term expires 1947  
 MABLE PAGE,                      Term expires 1948  
 RUFUS FROST,                      Term expires 1949

## Forest Fire Warden

WILLIAM F. WHITCOMB

## Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

LEROY P. DERBY                      FRED R. CLARK

## Supervisors of Check List

GEORGE O. SMITH                      EDWARD F. CROTEAU  
 ERNEST F. FLINT

Representative to General Court  
BENJAMIN G. HALL

Jurors Drawn 1946

JOHN HACKLER JR., Drawn Grand,	Feb. 1946
HARRY E. PAGE, Drawn Petit,	Feb. 1946
GEORGE O. SMITH, Drawn Grand,	Sept. 1946
ALFRED BEAUDOIN, Drawn Petit,	Sept. 1946
CHESTER WATTS, Special Petit,	Sept. 1946
EUGENE BEAUREGARD, Special Petit,	Sept. 1946

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

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### INVOICE OF PROPERTY APRIL 1, 1946

Land and buildings	\$841,960 00
Growing wood and timber	43,760 00
Electric plants	334,330 00
41 horses	4,740 00
4 oxen	600 00
201 cows	22,860 00
24 neat stock	1,870 00
51 sheep	510 00
3 hogs	70 00
Fowls	740 00
Portable mills	3,150 00
Wood and lumber	840 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,480 00
Stock in trade	61,900 00
Acqueducts	8,000 00
Mills and machinery	65,750 00
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	\$1,392,560 00
Soldiers exemption	20,920 00
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Total valuation for taxation	\$1,371,640 00
Taxes committed to collector:	
Property taxes	\$53,493 96
Poll taxes	1,328 00
Extra poll and property taxes	179 00
National bank stock	117 50
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Total taxes committed	\$55,118 46

Tax rate \$3.90 on \$100.00.



APPROPRIATIONS AS VOTED AT TOWN MEETING  
MARCH 12, 1946

Town charges	\$5,265 07
Town highways	4,250 00
Snow removal and sanding	4,750 00
General expense of highway department	200 00
Repairs of sidewalks	200 00
Fire department	1,500 00
Street lighting	2,000 00
Nursing association	1,000 00
Memorial Day	200 00
Tarring highways	2,500 00
State aid class V roads	511 54
Monadnock Region	129 00
Athletic field	250 00
Frost Free Library	500 00
Covering library books	1,200 00
High school sinking fund	2,500 00
Tarring cemetery road	300 00
Water and sewage investigation	500 00
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	\$27,755 61

Schools	25,367 34
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TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Charles B. Knight, Moderator	\$15 00
Charles F. Webb, selectman	275 00
Charles T. Richardson, selectman	275 00
Walter E. Buckminster, selectman	275 00
Charles E. Carlton, treasurer	175 00
Oscar F. Croteau, town clerk	100 00
William Whitcomb, police officer	50 00
Edward J. Beauregard, police officer	15 00
William Whitcomb, constable	10 00
Arthur P. Lorendeau, police officer	15 00
Charles Lang, police officer	15 00
Charles Lang, town hall agent	44 00
William Whitcomb, forest fire warden	5 00
Leroy P. Derby, deputy forest fire warden	5 00



Fred R. Clark, deputy forest fire warden	5 00
Edward F. Croteau, supervisor	50 00
George O. Smith, supervisor	50 00
Ernest F. Flint, supervisor	50 00
Charles T. Richardson, cemetery committee	5 00
Eleazer Packard, cemetery committee	5 00
William Whitcomb, cemetery committee	5 00
Fred R. Clark, fireward	5 00
Dutton Coutts, fireward	5 00
Arthur H. Knight, fireward	5 00
Wilfred Arsenault, fireward	5 00
Ralph A. Pierce, collecting taxes	10 20
Dutton Coutts, collecting taxes	539 26
Oliver Derby, auditor	55 00
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	2,068 46
Appropriation	\$2,100 00

#### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$14 85
Chase's bookstore	54 16
A. A. Croteau, postage	9 00
Sentinel Printing Co.	285 00
H. Derby, bonds	15 00
W. Chaplin, transfer cards, tax sale, mortgage list	22 30
Hall & Croteau, bonds and insurance	454 55
N. H. Tax Collectors Association	2 00
N. H. Assessors Association	2 00
O. E. Cain, retainer's fee	25 00
Dutton Coutts, tax sale cost	9 95
Charles T. Richardson, use of car, taking invoice, running lines, tax meeting,	35 00
Walter E. Buckminster, running lines, tax meeting	15 00
Charles F. Webb, tax meeting, overseer of poor and acting health officer	52 80
Charles E. Carlton, supplies and postage	5 50
Charles F. Webb, copying taxes	25 00

Oscar F. Croteau, town clerk expenses	45 72
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	\$1,072 83

Appropriation	\$900 00
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#### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Sadie W. Hart, meals for election officers	\$47 00
Chase's bookstore, supplies	3 15
Irma Richardson, copying checklist	12 00
Charles E. Richardson, ballot inspector	4 00
E. Floyd Pierce, ballot clerk	12 00
Mary Hildreth, ballot clerk	12 00
Shirley Martin, ballot inspector	12 00
Benj. G. Hall, assistant moderator	12 00
Ralph A. Pierce, assistant clerk	12 00
Helena Croteau, ballot inspector	4 00
The Despatch Press, printing	28 00
Charles F. Webb, election officer	8 00
Charles T. Richardson, election officer	8 00
Walter E. Buckminster, election officer	8 00
Oscar F. Croteau, auto permits	130 75
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	\$312 90

Appropriation	\$300 00
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#### TOWN HALL

Charles Lang, labor and supplies	44 58
Charles Lang, electric bills	6 16
Hall & Croteau, insurance	380 00
Forest L. Hart, wood	48 00
Alfred Clark, repairs on bulkhead door	17 96
Walter Clark, sawing wood	5 25
Helen Knight, water rent	15 00
Marlboro Grange, janitor service	20 00
R. M. Lawrence, supplies	2 95
Monadnock Welding Co., repairing fire escape	8 00
Charles F. Webb, kerosene	60
Demers & Lambert, supplies	5 04
Public Service Co. of N. H.	65 12
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	\$618 66

Appropriation	\$700 00
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## POLICE

William Whitcomb, police work	608 35
Stanley Nye, police work	7 00
Romeo R. Bleau, police work	5 00
Edward J. Beauregard, police work	85 00
Charles Lang, police work	7 50

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 \$712 85

 Appropriation \$950 00

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Ward Bros, coal	\$132 27
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric bills,	43 28
Alfred Clark, work at fire station	2 50
Ralph Pierce, work at fire station	19 06
Hall & Croteau, water rent	21 00
C. H. Kinsman Est., supplies	55 07
American LaFrance Co., supplies	11 59
Elmer Derby, steward	217 50
Samuel E. Tuttle, insurance on men	23 00
Hall & Croteau, insurance	20 00
Samuel E. Tuttle, firemen's inspection	48 48
Leroy P. Derby, cleaning water holes	33 60
Hall & Croteau, insurance on firemen	180 00
Samuel E. Tuttle, firemen's pay	460 75
Keene Oil Co., burner for fire station	325 00

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 \$1,593 10

 Appropriation \$1,500 00

## FOREST FIRES

William Whitcomb	\$129 80
Fred R. Clark	13 00

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 \$142 80

## MOTH EXTERMINATION

E. J. Chase, spraying	\$126 00
Appropriation	\$125 00

## BOUNTIES

Paid bounties on 75 hedgehogs	\$37 50
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## DAMAGE BY DOGS

Paid Harlan Brown hens killed by dogs	\$15 00
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## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Leroy P. Derby, labor at dump	\$430 98
Fred R. Clark, fire at dump	29 25
Public Service Co. of N. H., use of land	12 50
Stanley Nye, use of land	18 75

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\$491 48

## NURSING ASSOCIATION

Nursing Association, paid Ruth Hemenway	\$1,000 00
Appropriation	\$1,000 00

## VITAL STATISTICS

Oscar F. Croteau	\$34 50
Rev. Marshall Eck	2 00
Rev. Andre J. Brunelle	75
Benj. G. Hall	25

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\$37 50

Appropriation	\$40 00
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## COVERING LIBRARY BOOKS

George Beauregard, labor and supplies	\$845 15
Orville Wyman	23 40
Arthur Whitcomb	120 42
Eugene Beauregard	169 80
Ernest Beauregard	19 10
Knowlton & Stone	114 90
Marlboro Box Co.	245 44
Elm City Grain Co.	309 00

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\$1,847 21

Appropriation	\$1,200 00
F. D. Hemenway Gift	500 00

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\$1,700 00



## TOWN HIGHWAYS

Paid Leroy P. Derby	\$4,716 19
Paid Internal Revenue, withholding tax	246 80
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	\$4,962 99
Credits to highway dept.	18 50
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	\$4,944 49
Appropriation	\$4,250 00

## SNOW AND SANDING

Paid Leroy P. Derby	\$4,933 13
Paid Internal Revenue, withholding tax	266 40
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	\$5,199 53
Credits on snow	43 25
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	\$5,156 28
Appropriation	\$4,750 00

## TAR

Paid Leroy P. Derby	\$2,496 67
Paid Internal Revenue, withholding tax	77 40
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	\$2,574 07
Credits on tax	52 40
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	\$2,521 67
Appropriation	\$2,500 00

## PARKING LINES

Paid Leroy P. Derby	\$41 60
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## TARRING CEMETERY ROADS

Paid Leroy P. Derby	\$202 26
Appropriation	\$300 00

## HIGHLAND STREET

Arthur Knight, land for street	\$150 00
Concord Foundry & Machine Co., catch basins	17 50
Hume Pipe Co., drain pipe	23 40

Leroy P. Derby, labor	98 75
Orville Wyman, labor	65 45
Eugene Beauregard, use of shovel and truck	387 50
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	\$742 60

## STREET LIGHTS

Paid Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$1,899 96
Appropriation	\$2,000 00

## GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPT.

Federated Church Society, care of clock	\$25 00
Hall & Croteau, insurance on equipment	74 15
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric bills	19 88
Richard Lewis, bridge stringers	49 00
Wayne Proulx, repairing scales	1 50
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	\$169 53

Appropriation	\$200 00
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## LIBRARIES

Paid treasurer Frost Free Library	\$500 00
Paid treasurer, care of lawn	20 00
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	\$520 00

Appropriation	\$550 00
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## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Paid old age assistance	\$857 89
Appropriation	\$750 00

## TOWN POOR

Harold Stone	\$191 33
Mrs. Merrill	7 00
Marie Hiiva	23 00
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	\$221 33

Appropriation	\$800 00
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## MEMORIAL DAY

Paid Samuel E. Tuttle	\$200 00
Appropriation	\$200 00



## DEFENCE

Paid Baldvins & White	\$8 50
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INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE ON WATER  
AND SEWAGE

Paid Wilfred Arsenault	\$493 90
Paid Boston Blue Print Co.	6 10

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\$500 00

Appropriation	\$500 00
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## CEMETERIES

Paid cemetery committee, work in cemeteries	\$400 00
Appropriation	\$400 00
Purchase of land for cemetery purposes	\$500 00

\$250.00 of this was a gift from F. D. Hemenway.

## PERPETUAL CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Received	\$1,100 00
Paid trustees of trust funds	\$1,100 00

## CHARLES H. PEASE EDUCATIONAL FUND

Received	\$12,212 96
Paid trustees of trust funds	\$12,212 96
Taxes bought by town	\$305 63

## INTEREST

Paid Keene Natl. Bank, interest on notes	\$66 66
Paid trustees of trust funds, interest on note	\$275 00

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\$341 66

Appropriation	\$350 00
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## TOWN ROAD AID

Paid State Highway Dept.	\$511 54
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## SIDEWALKS

Paid Leroy P. Derby	\$190 55
Paid Internal Revenue, withholding tax	10 40

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\$200 90

Appropriation	\$200 00
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## MONADNOCK REGION

Treasurer Monadnock Region Association	\$129 00
Appropriation	\$129 00

## CAPITOL RESERVE FUND

Paid trustees of trust funds, school fund	\$2,500 00
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## RECREATIONAL COMMITTEE

Paid Edward S. L'heureux	\$250 00
Appropriation	\$250 00

## TEMPORARY LOANS

Paid Keene Natl. Bank	\$5,000 00
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## OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Paid county treasurer tax	\$2,692 57
Paid State treasurer, special poll taxes	621 51
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	\$3,314 08

## COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE

Withholding tax	\$601 00
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## SCHOOLS

Paid appropriations	\$25,367 34
Paid dog license money	171 40
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	\$25,538 74

## TOTAL PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries	\$2,068 46
Town officers' expenses	1,072 83
Election and registration	312 90
Town hall	618 66
Police department	712 85
Fire department	1,593 10
Forest fires	142 80
Moth extermination	126 00
Bounties	37 50
Damage by dogs	15 00
Health department	491 48
Nursing association	1,000 00

Vital statistics	37 50
Covering library brook	1,847 21
Town highways	4,716 19
Snow and sanding	4,933 13
Tar	2,496 67
Parking lines	41 60
Tarring cemetery road	202 26
Highland street	742 60
Street lights	1,899 96
General expenses of highway dept.	169 53
Libraries	520 00
Old age assistance	857 89
Town poor	221 33
Memorial Day	200 00
Defense	8 50
Water and sewage investigation committee	500 00
Cemeteries	400 00
Purchase of land for cemetery	500 00
Perpetual care of cemetery lots	1,100 00
Charles H. Pease education fund	12,212 96
Taxes bought by town	305 63
Interest	341 66
Town road aid	511 54
Sidewalks	190 55
Monadnock region	129 00
Capitol reserve fund	2,500 00
Recreational committee	250 00
Temporary loans	5,000 00
Other governmental divisions	3,314 08
Collector of internal revenue	601 00
Schools	25 538 74
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	\$80,481 11

## REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

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Cash on hand, January 1, 1946	\$3,347 83
Received from 1946 taxes	50,777 70
Received from 1945 taxes	4,111 18
Received from 1944 taxes	29 51
Received from 1943 taxes	27 70
Received from automobile permits	1,513 14
Received from dog licenses	228 20
Received from rent of stores	425 00
Received from rent of hall	169 00
Received from redeemed taxes	83 82
Received from hedgehog bounties	36 00
Received from forest fire aid	119 60
Received from road agent	105 25
Received from town of Dublin, plowing	25 00
Received from town of Jaffrey, plowing	36 00
Received from plowing driveways	13 50
Received from Keene National Bank, loan on note	5,000 00
Received from savings bank tax	527 99
Received from railroad tax	210 53
Received from interest and dividend tax	3,096 34
Received from funds for perpetual care of cemetery lots	1,000 00
Received from pistol permits	5 00
Received from bequest of Ernest Metcalf	100 00
Received from Mabel C. Pease Estate, Pease Educational Fund	12,212 96
Received from F. D. Hemenway, donation toward covering Library brook	500 00
Received from F. D. Hemenway, donation toward cemetery extension	250 00
Received from Theodore Miner, for damage caused to bridge	40 00



Received from sale of old hearse	47 50
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	84,038 75
Orders drawn by selectmen	80,481 11
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Cash on hand, January 1, 1947	\$3,557 64

CHARLES E. CARLTON,  
Treasurer.

### REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

The tax collector charges himself as follows:

Tax warrant committed to collector for	
1946 taxes	\$54,973 46
Extras	145 00
Interest for 1946	7 34
1945 outstanding taxes	4,141 73
Extras on 1945 taxes	13 00
Interest for 1945	170 26
1944 outstanding taxes	51 64
Interest for 1944	2 86
1943 outstanding taxes	46 38
Interest for 1943	4 32
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	\$59,555 99

The tax collector credits himself as follows:

Paid treasurer on 1946 taxes, plus interest	\$50,777 70
Paid treasurer on 1943, 44, 45 taxes, plus interest	4,168 39
Abated taxes, 1943, 44, 45, 46	125 30
1946 taxes outstanding, December 31, 1946	4,322 10
1945 taxes outstanding, December 31, 1946	143 51
1944 taxes outstanding, December 31, 1946	14 99
1943 taxes outstanding, December 31, 1946	4 00
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	\$59,555 99

DUTTON COUTTS,  
Tax Collector.

**BALANCE**


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<b>ASSETS</b>	
Cash on hand	\$3,557 64
Uncollected taxes 1943	4 00
Uncollected taxes 1944	14 99
Uncollected taxes 1945	143 51
Uncollected taxes 1946	4,322 10
Due from state, bounties	37 50
Taxes bought by town	221 81
Capital reserve	3,125 00
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	\$11,426 55
Liabilities	8,828 20
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	\$2,598 35



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LIABILITIES	
Notes due trustees of trust funds	\$5,500 00
Dog licenses due school	203 20
Capital reserve	3,125 00
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	\$8,828 20

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**AUDITOR'S REPORT**

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Marlboro, N. H., January 22, 1946.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts and records of the Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agent, Treasurer and Selectmen and find them correct and properly vouched, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

OLIVER F. DERBY,  
Town Auditor.

# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS, TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H.

## For the Calendar Year 1946

### INVESTMENTS

SAVINGS BANKS, NOTES & BONDS	Rate of Interest	Principal Jan. 1, 1946	Principal Added during Year	Principal Deducted during Year	Balance of Income on Hand Jan. 1, 1946	1946 Interest	Total Income Available	Income Paid during Year	Principal and Re-Invested Interest Jan. 1, 1947
Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	2 %	\$2,150.00	none	none	\$431.04	\$51.89	\$482.93	\$62.51	\$2,570.42
Cheshire County Savings Bank .....	2½ %	9,260.00	\$1,912.96*	none	86.94	249.20	336.14	262.42	11,246.68
Dartmouth Savings Bank .....	2 %	2,500.00	none	none	none	50.25	50.25	50.25	2,500.00
Franklin Savings Bank .....	1½ %	2,000.00	none	\$2,000.00†	154.52	43.08	197.60†	none	none
Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank .....	1½ %	1,000.00	none	1,000.00‡	none	20.22	20.22	20.22	6,000.00‡
Keene Bldg. & Loan Assn. ....	3 %	none	6,000.00§	none	none	49.00	49.00	34.60	5,526.62
Keene Savings Bank .....	2¼ %	4,663.53	775.00¶	none	81.64	110.11	191.75	103.66	4,747.46¶
Laconia Savings Bank .....	2½ %	4,150.00	none	none	363.92	114.54	478.46	93.00	863.82
Loan & Trust Savings Bank .....	2 %	850.00	none	none	23.54	17.78	41.32	27.50	2,264.60
Manchester Savings Bank .....	2½ %	2,000.00	none	none	209.04	55.56	264.60	137.24	6,129.46
Peterborough Savings Bank .....	2½ %	5,547.29	500.00]	none	73.28	146.13	219.41	188.38	7,589.14
Savings Bank of Walpole .....	2½ %	7,350.00	100.00[	none	138.49	189.03	327.52	275.00	5,500.00
Town of Marlboro Note .....	5 %	6,500.00	none	1,000.00**	none	275.00	275.00	300.00	17,500.00
U. S. Govt. Bonds (Series G) .....	2½ %	6,500.00	11,000.00††	none	none	300.00	300.00	300.00	
		\$54,470.82	\$20,287.96	\$4,000.00	\$1,562.41	\$1,671.79	\$3,234.20	\$1,554.78	\$72,438.20

## FUNDS

All School Funds .....	\$13,290.00	none	none	none	none	\$325.20	\$325.20	\$325.20	\$13,290.00
Frost Free Library Fund .....	6,000.00	none	none	none	none	262.50	262.50	262.50	6,000.00
J. T. Collins Fire Dept. Fund .....	500.00	none	none	none	none	12.57	12.57	12.57	500.00
Chas. C. Ward Town Fund .....	5,000.00	none	none	none	609.79	145.61	755.40††	none	5,755.40
Chas. C. Ward Children's Fund .....	500.00	none	none	none	none	25.00	25.00	25.00	500.00
Ministerial Fund .....	560.00	none	none	none	none	14.09	14.09	14.09	560.00
Special Reserve Fund .....	107.29	none	none	none	13.76	3.04	16.80	none	124.09
Jennie I. Mason Aged Citizens' Fund .....	1,000.00	none	none	none	none	25.15	25.15	25.15	1,000.00
Fred D. Hemenway School Children's Health Fund .....	1,000.00	none	none	none	none	25.00	25.00	25.00	1,000.00
Pease Educational Fund .....	none	12,212.96§§	none	none	none	160.93	160.93	160.93	12,212.96
New School Sinking Fund .....	none	2,500.00‡‡	none	none	none	none	none	none	2,500.00
Town Capital Reserve Fund .....	none	625.00¶¶	none	none	none	8.87	8.87	none	633.87
All Cemetery Funds .....	26,513.53	950.00	none	none	938.86	663.83	1,602.69	704.34	28,361.88
	\$54,470.82	\$16,287.96	none	none	\$1,562.41	\$1,671.79	\$3,234.20	\$1,554.78	\$72,438.20

## NOTES ON INVESTMENTS

\* This \$1,912.96 increase in principal in the Cheshire County Savings Bank is made up of the following:

\$	100.00	Edith Patnaude Cemetery Fund
	100.00	Sarah Howe Cemetery Fund
	212.96	Pease Educational Fund (Part)
\$1,000.00		Asahel Collins School Fund (Part): This principal was transferred from the Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank.
	500.00	New School Sinking Fund (Part)
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	\$1,912.96	

† The Franklin Savings Bank account was closed out and the \$2,000.00 principal was reinvested in the Keene Building and Loan Association. The available interest of \$197.60 was transferred to the Laconia Savings Bank in a special account called "Accumulated Franklin Savings Bank & Keene Building & Loan Association Interest on \$2,000 Charles C. Ward Town Fund—Part".

‡ The Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank account was closed out; the \$1,000 of principal was reinvested in the Cheshire County Savings Bank.

§ This \$6,000.00 increase in principal in the Keene Building & Loan Association is made up of the following:

\$2,000.00	"Pease Educational Fund—(Part)".
2,000.00	"Charles C. Ward Town Fund (Part)". This was transferred from the Franklin Savings Bank.
2,000.00	"New School Sinking Fund (Part)".
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	\$6,000.00

£ The unspent interest from the Keene Building & Loan Association amounting to \$14.40 was transferred to a special account in the Laconia Savings Bank called "Accumulated Franklin Savings Bank & Keene Building & Loan Association Interest on \$2,000.00 Charles C. Ward Town Fund (Part)".

¶ This \$775.00 principal increase in the Keene Savings Bank is made up of the following:

\$150.00	George L. Capron Cemetery Fund
625.00	Town Capital Reserve Fund
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	\$775.00

|| This principal and reinvested interest of \$4,747.46 includes \$213.23 which is made up of:

\$1.23	Unspent interest on a special account called "Accumulated Franklin Savings Bank & Keene Building & Loan Assn. Interest on \$2,000 Charles C. Ward Town Fund (Part)".
14.40	Transferred unspent interest from the Keene Building & Loan Association and
197.60	Transferred unspent interest from the Franklin Savings Bank.
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	\$213.23

] The \$500.00 principal increase in the Peterborough Savings Bank is made up of the following:

\$	50.00	Addition to the Fred C. Bemis Cemetery Fund making the present principal, \$150.00.
	100.00	Charles Townsend Cemetery Fund
	100.00	Ruggles Smith Cemetery Fund
	100.00	Ernest H. Metcalf Cemetery Fund
	150.00	Silas Emerson—Clyde R. Partridge Cemetery Fund.
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	\$500.00	

[ The \$100.00 principal increase in the Savings Bank of Walpole is made up of the following:

\$50.00	Addition to the George H. Smith Cemetery Fund, making the present principal, \$100.00.
50.00	Addition to the George F. Mason Cemetery Fund, making the present principal, \$100.00.
**	The Town of Marlboro Note was reduced \$1,000.00 during the year as the Town paid this amount on the principal.
††	The \$11,000.00 principal increase in U. S. Government Bonds (Series G) is made up of the following:
\$1,000.00	"Frost Free Library Fund (Part)" which was reinvested from the Town of Marlboro Note.
10,000.00	"Pease Educational Fund (Part)."

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\$11,000.00

### NOTES ON FUNDS

‡‡ In accordance with the vote at the 1942 Town Meeting, the interest from this fund is to accumulate until enough interest money is available to buy new seats for the Town Hall. The sum of \$755.40 is now accumulated.

§§ The Pease Educational Fund of \$12,312.96 was bequeathed by the late Mrs. Mabel C. Pease. The money was received by the Trustees on May 26, 1946. That part of the will which refers to this Fund is as follows: "... the income ... or any part thereof shall be paid to such person or persons who shall be designated by the School Board ... Said School Board shall select annually a worthy scholar or scholars to assist in obtaining further education, either in Marlboro or elsewhere, which they would not otherwise be able to attain if not assisted financially. The manner in which such scholar or scholars are to be selected is to be determined by said Board. It is my wish that scholarship alone be not considered but that general character be given weight, in order that the type of general citizenship formerly existing in this country may be continued. The income may be used to assist scholars in obtaining a college education or an education in a technical training school ..."

¶¶ The New School Sinking Fund was created at the March 1946 Town Meeting. The sum of \$2,500.00 was appropriated "to be set aside as a sinking fund for a new school and to be earmarked 'School Fund.' " The principal was received by the Trustees on January 6, 1947 so earned new income during the 1946 year.

¶¶¶ The Town Capital Reserve Fund was created from the sale of an old Town tractor. The principal and interest may be used later on as the Town may decide. Fund was created in 1946.

NOTE: In January 1947, the Trustees received the following new cemetery funds:

\$50.00	George O. Richardson Cemetery Fund (Addition to original fund).
100.00	James Nason Cemetery Fund
150.00	John E. Hakala Cemetery Fund

The above are accounted for in the 1946 Town Books; however since the funds were not received by the Trustees until after their 1946 accounts were closed, our accounting will include them in our 1947 report.

Respectfully submitted,

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS,  
TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H.  
(MRS.) KATE K. DAVIS,  
ROLAND A. WHITNEY,  
CHARLES B. KNIGHT,

Trustees.

### AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds and find them correct and properly vouched to the best of my knowledge and belief.

OLIVER F. DERBY, Auditor.



## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMITTEE

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Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1946	\$808 32
Lot sold John E. Hakala	35 00
Received from selectmen	400 00
Received from trustees	704 34
Received from sale of logs and wood from Center cemetery	147 00
Total receipts	<hr/> \$2,094 66

### EXPENDITURES

Paid William Whitcomb	\$1,113 10
Paid for flowers	10 80
Paid Hall & Croteau, water rent	26 25
Paid Eugene Beauregard, labor	400 00
Paid Cheshire National Bank, service charge	1 06
Total	<hr/> 1,551 21
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1946	<hr/> \$543 45

CHARLES T. RICHARDSON,  
WILLIAM WHITCOMB,  
ELEAZER PACKARD,  
Cemetery Committee.

### MEMORIAL DAY

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Memorial Day appropriation	\$200 00
Paid for band, flags, flowers, etc.	\$200 00

S. E. TUTTLE, Fin. Officer,  
Clarence J. Croteau Post No. 24,  
American Legion.

## REPORT OF FIREWARDS

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There have been 36 alarms this past year. There were no general alarms. The equipment is in pretty good shape. Some of it is getting quite old, and some thought ought to be given about replacing it.

A. KNIGHTS,  
D. COUTTS,  
F. CLARK,  
W. ARSENAULT,  
Fire Wards.

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## REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

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Your Forest Fire Warden wishes to thank the people of the town in asking for fire permits; by so doing we have saved a big expense to the town and state by not having any large fires.

The town can thank our older boys for helping to put out our forest fires.

WILLIAM F. WHITCOMB,  
Warden.

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## OLD HOME DAY REPORT 1946

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Jan. 1, 1946 cash on hand	\$48 02
Jan. 1, 1947 cash on hand	\$48 02

CHARLES E. CARLTON,  
Treasurer.



### CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT REPORT

Jan. 1, 1946, cash on hand	\$2 89	
Oct. 28, 1946 received from trustees of trust funds, Ward fund	25 00	
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		\$27 89

### EXPENSES

Dec. 18, 1946:

Films and transportation	\$9 57	
Ice cream	10 95	
Prizes	4 00	
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		\$24 52
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Jan. 1, 1947 cash on hand		\$3 37

CHARLES E. CARLTON,  
Treasurer.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF RECREATION FOR 1946

#### INCOME

Balane on hand Jan. 1, 1946	\$168 62
Appropriated by town	250 00
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	\$418 62

#### EXPENDITURES 1946

June 20 Alfred Croteau Jr., labor, and use of tractor	\$4 50
June 30 Lars Anderson, reconditioning field	16 85
Oct 3 Frank Avery, sharpening lawn mowers	5 00

Nov. 18 Lars Anderson, supplies and labor	75 94	
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Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1947		<hr/> \$316 33

E. S. L'HEUREUX,  
Treasurer.

ALFRED CROTEAU,  
LARS ANDERSON,  
NAPOLEON BENOIT,  
JOHN FRYE,  
Recreational Committee.

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

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January 1946:

Labor	\$841 55
Ward Bros., coal	33 68
Sunshine Feed Store, road salt	316 00
Cheshire Oil Co., 800 gals gas	135 20
Knowlton & Stone Co., 1 doz. snaps	4 86
Orvill Wyman, repairing sidewalk plow	7 50
	<hr/> \$1,338 79
Withholding tax,	\$79 80

February 1946:

Labor	\$762 50
Hedge & Matthies, 1 gear lubricant dispenser, ½ doz. shovels, 1 roll wire, wire cutters, 200 ft. plow steel wire rope, 1 pair jaws for bolt cutters	56 39
Robertson Motor Co., new points and spark plugs, oil filter, repairing brake tube, tak- ing up brakes, repairing motor support and labor	15 08
W. A. Wood Co., 1 bale waste	7 17
Chester Nason's Garage, charging battery, seal beam, fan belt, water pump copper pipe, brake fluid, labor on model A rear end, grease	112 08
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., weare plate shoe for plow, cross chain hooks, snatch hooks for truck and sidewalk plow, sidewalk chains,	192 20
Orville Wyman, cutting and welding iron on truck, welding ice grouzers, repairing body hoist	28 50
A. M. Flanders Inc., oil filters for tractor	3 60

M. S. Perkins Machine Co., repairing steel plow part	4 20
Marlboro Box Co., 25 ft. lumber	1 00

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\$1,182 72

Withholding tax \$87 30

March 1946:

Labor	\$281 65
R. C. Hazelton Co., blades and bolts for side- walk plow	15 82
Ward Bros., coal and coke	25 12
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., Ever Ready Prestone	27 00
Roy Road Equipment, 100 cross chains for truck and sidewalk tractor	68 45
Mrs. Hula J. Derby, 300 yds. sand for sanding	30 00

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\$448 04

Withholding tax \$24 30

November 1946:

Labor	\$319 68
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., 2 shoes for Ross plow, cutting edge for plow, 100 cross chains, hydraulic piston	163 57
Holmes & Talcott Co., ice grouzers, bolts, nuts, lockwashers for tractor	19 70
R. C. Hazelton Co., cutting edge for sidewalk plow	15 25
Orville Wyman, repairing snow frame and plow- shoe, rebuilding ice grouzers	133 25
Baldwin Electric, installing new lights and re- pairing old light switches, cable	74 60
Ward Bros., coal	55 26

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\$782 32

Withholding tax \$19 30

December 1946:

Labor	\$728 95
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., 100 machine bolts and nuts, Prestone, head gasket for truck	51 45

Spencer Hardware Co., paint brushes, padlock	6 30
C. H. Kinsman Estate, eye bolts, gas, oil, shaping pick, battery, chain hook, labor	40 29
Cheshire Oil Co., 800 gals. gas	132 00
Knowlton & Stone Co., 1 doz. snap wire for snow fence, oil can	33 61
Sunshine Feed Store, road salt	174 00
R. M. Lawrence, gas and freight	14 66

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\$1,181 26

Withholding tax \$55 60

### MAINTENANCE

March 1946:

Labor	\$207 85
J. A. Grau, labor with bulldozer	23 00
Cheshire Oil Co., 800 gals. gas	121 66
Hedge & Matthies Co., 3 sets male and female suction hose coupling	14 84

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\$367 29

Withholding tax \$24 00

April 1946:

Labor	\$649 60
C. H. Kinsman Est., spark plugs, gas, machine bolts and washers	19 44
Richard Lewis, oak bridge stringers	12 00
Spencer Hardware Co., 1 socket wrench, 1 socket	3 10
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., 3 push brooms	3 75
Orville Wyman, labor on Allis Chalmers tractor	10 50
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., brazing nut for tractor	1 50
Theodore Wilcox, paint and turpentine	12 00
Marboro Box Co., bridge plank	1 80
Northeastern Petroleum Co., 1 lubricator hose and express,	40 59

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\$754 28

Withholding tax \$47 30



## May 1946:

Labor	\$289 15
Hedge & Matthies Co., 1 tarpaulin cover for tractor	23 62
Arthur Whitcomb, gravel and labor with shovel, moving shovel	168 49
Marlboro Box Co., bridge plank	7 47
Roy A. Gate, 1 seal ring and rubber boot ring	5 50
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., 3 push brooms	3 75
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	\$497 98
Withholding tax	\$10 40

## June 1946:

Labor	\$450 50
Eugene Beauregard, bulldozer	12 50
G. A. Gau, bulldozer, cleaning river	4 00
Cheshire Oil Co., 800 gals. gas	123 20
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	\$590 20
Withholding tax	\$40 10

## July 1946:

Labor	\$400 80
A. Woods Co., 1 gal. penetrating oil	2 97
Orville Wyman, cutting and welding on bridge	9 00
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	\$412 77
Withholding tax	\$32 10

## August 1946:

Labor	\$219 70
Brighton Steel Co., 6 round point shovels, 4 wedge point shovels	30 18
Mrs. Chessie Brown, 279 yds. gravel	27 90
William Coutts, 138 yds. gravel	13 80
Chester Nason's Garage, spark plugs, gasket, switch wire, changing tire, repairing starter, steering column, gear oil, inspection, lights, battery, grease, seal wire harness, rebuilding magneto and labor	115 55



Southwestern Transportation Co., freight	1 84
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	\$408 97
Withholding tax	\$10 10
September 1946:	
Labor	\$360 30
Withholding tax	\$19 50
October 1946:	
Labor	\$395 55
A. M. Flanders Inc., 1 cylinder head gasket, main gasket, 1 cylinder head gasket cover for Allis Chalmers tractor	3 30
Marlboro Box Co., bridge plank	12 94
Clark & Wilcox Co., 1 fan drive pulley for tractor	4 79
F. T. Cumings, 631 ft. bridge plank	37 86
W. A. Woods Co., 1 bale waste	8 99
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	\$463 43
Withholding tax	\$29 50
November 1946:	
Labor	\$417 00
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., 2 axles for Adams grader, brooms	43 25
M. S. Perkins Machine Co., steel	5 10
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., culverts	64 31
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	\$529 66
Withholding tax	\$33 90
December 1946:	
Eugene Beauregard, use of truck, bulldozer and shovel	\$168 10
Marlboro Box Co., bridge plank	57 21
Charles Beauregard, 1419 ft, 2 in, bridge plank,	78 05
Robertson Motor Co., battery, cleaning and checking points and spark plugs	33 95
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	\$331 31

## TAR

May 1946:

Labor		\$196 16
Withholding tax	\$17 20	

June 1946:

Labor		\$30 00
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July 1946:

Labor		\$78 85
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August 1946:

Labor		\$523 35
Withholding tax	\$40 70	

September 1946:

Labor		\$116 25
Peterboro Highway Dept., truck, man, power sander		86 00
Orville Wyman, truck sanding		66 60
Arthur Whitcomb, tar patch		181 82

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 \$450 67

Withholding tax	\$19 50	
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November 1946:

Socony Vaccum Oil Co., 8552 gals asphalt at 12c	\$1,026 24
Winchester Highway Dept., truck and men, power sander	78 20
Arthur Whitcomb, sand and tar patch	113 20

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 \$1,217 64

## NEW TOWN DUMP

March 1946:

Labor	\$51 95
A. A. Grau, labor with bulldozer	64 00

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 \$115 95

April 1946:

Labor	\$15 25
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## May 1946:

Labor	\$34 00
Marlboro Box Co., lumber for gate	3 06
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	\$37 06

## June 1946:

Labor	\$30 20
Spencer Hardware Co., 2 rolls wire, staples, hinges	12 87
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	\$43 07

## July 1946:

Labor	\$8 40
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## August 1946:

Labor	\$21 00
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## September 1946:

Labor	\$48 00
Stanley Nye, gravel	2 00
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	\$50 00

## October 1946:

Labor	\$25 20
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## November 1946:

Labor	\$29 40
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## CLEANING WATER HOLE FOR FIRE DEPT.

## November 1946:

Labor	\$33 60
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## NEW ROAD BY LING STREET

## June 1946:

Labor	\$90 00
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Authorized by Selectmen

## NEW ROAD

## August 1946:

Labor	\$8 75
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## OLD DUMP

## March 1946:

Labor	\$14 10
J. A. Grau, labor with bulldozer	22 00
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	\$36 10

May 1946:

Labor	\$5 40
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June 1946:

Labor	\$9 15
Eugene Beauregard, labor with bulldozer	35 00

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	\$44 15
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## SIDEWALK

October 1946:

Labor	\$190 55
Withholding tax	\$10 40

## PAINTING CROSSWALKS AND PARKING SPACE

July 1946:

Labor	\$41 60
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Authorized by Selectmen

## CEMETERY ROAD

September 1946:

Labor	\$74 40
Socony Vacuum Oil Co., 600 gals asphalt at 12c	72 00
Arthur Whitcomb, tar patch and sand	23 46
Orville Wyman, truck hauling sand	32 40

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	\$202 26
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## MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS

Walter Mattson, cement mixer	\$1 50
John Hackler, calcium	1 00
Arthur Knight, cement mixer	7 00
William Whitcomb, men and truck	16 10
John Priest, cement mixer	2 00
Charles Beauregard, cement mixer	7 00

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	\$34 60
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## TARRING DRIVEWAYS

Alfred Clark	\$10 35
Mrs. William Beauregard	5 00
Benjamin Hall	7 35
Joseph Frechette,	7 35
Ernest Russell	10 35

Leroy Derby	12 00
Fred Clark	4 00
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	\$56 40

#### PLOWING DRIVEWAYS

Clarence Pratt	\$9 00
East Jaffrey Highway Dept.	36 00
Mrs. Louis B. Weston	4 50
John Chalker	1 00
Charles Carlton	75
Leroy Derby	4 50
Benjamin G. Hall	3 00
John Kouppi	5 00
Town of Dublin	25 00
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	\$88 75

#### ROAD AGENT'S EXPENDITURES

Maintenance	\$4,716 19
Snow and sanding	4,933 13
Tar	2,496 67
New Dump	345 33
Old Dump	85 65
Sidewalks	190 55
Cleaning water holes	33 60
Cross walks and parking lines	41 60
New road by Ling street	98 75
Cemetery roads tarring	202 26
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	\$13,143 73
Withholding tax	601 00
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	\$13,744 73

LEROY P. DERBY,  
Road Agent.



## **SECRETARY'S REPORT FROST FREE LIBRARY 1945-1946**

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The Annual Meeting of the Trustees of the Frost Free Library was held at the Library on October 21st, 1946 at 8 p. m., with Mr. Rufus S. Frost, President, presiding.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Marshall O. Eck.

The records of the last Annual Meeting were read and approved.

In the absence of the Treasurer, Mr. Charles T. Richardson read the Treasurer's Report which showed that there had been a total of expenditures of \$756.88 during the past year, and there was a balance of \$76.87 on October 1, 1947. Mr. Richardson also read the Auditor's report. Both reports were accepted as read.

The Librarian, Mrs. Helena Croteau, gave an interesting report, showing that the Library had been opened 111 times during the past year, and that a total of 4,178 books had been in circulation. The State Library of Concord had also loaned us 150 juvenile books for use in the schools. 171 new books were purchased during the year, and 20 books were donated. Beside this number, Mrs. Ella Talmadge donated a number of books, when she broke up her home, which are being reviewed, and all which can be used will be placed in the Library. The W. C. T. U. gave the book "The Great White Hills of New Hampshire" by Ernest Poole, in memory of Charles Beverly Coutts, who was lost in action during World War 2.

Due to ill health, Mrs. Croteau was absent from the Library for six months or more, and her work was carried on by Mrs. Mabelle F. Page, with Mrs. Shirley Martin, assisting. Mrs. Page did a great deal of extra work there, rearranging book shelves and the lighting arrangements,

making the Library more attractive and also more convenient for the Patrons of the Library.

The fence around the Library needs straightening and also it was felt that the small ash trees which had been placed in front of the Library should be removed. This work was left in the hands of Mr. Charles Webb, to attend to. Mr. Charles T. Richardson and Mr. George O. Smith were appointed a committee to attend to the supply of fuel.

The Trustees of the Library feel that they are fortunate in having so faithful and efficient and interested a person as Mr. George O. Smith for Janitor. We are very grateful to him for his spirit of co-operation at all times. It was considered necessary and voted to ask the Town to appropriate \$500.00 to assist in maintenance of the Library for the year 1947.

The following officers were elected: President, Mr. Rufus S. Frost; Vice-President, Mrs. Mabelle F. Page; Secretary-Treasurer, Ruth E. Hemenway; Auditor, Mr. Charles T. Richardson; Librarian, Mrs. Helena Croteau; Executive Board, The Trustees, Selectmen of Marlboro and Pastors of Marlboro; Book Committee, Mrs. Page, Miss Hemenway and Librarian.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH E. HEMENWAY,  
Secretary.

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### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

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October 19, 1946.

To the President and Trustees of the Frost Free Library the Librarian submits the following report for the year ending October 19, 1946.

The library has been open 105 times with a total circulation of 4,178 books, 2,669 of which were adult fiction, 1,297 juvenile fiction and 212 non-fiction. Besides this, 150 juvenile books were obtained from the State library

and used at the schools. Of these we have no record of circulation.

The total circulation of magazines was about 2,000. "Tune In," a radio magazine was added to the library subscription list making a total of 46. Of these 5 have been donated. We are again grateful to the W. C. T. U. and Mrs. DeForest for several monthly magazines.

There was quite a let down in the circulation of magazines as well as books during the summer. No doubt this was due to increased travel following the restrictions of the war. At present there is much more reading.

191 books have been added during the year. 20 of these being gifts. Quite a number of replacements of standard books such as High School requirements have been in this number but quite a few more are needed to make the library most useful.

The W. C. T. U. gave a copy of "Great White Hills of New Hampshire," by Ernest Poole in memory of 2nd Lieut. Charles Beverly Coutts. It is an excellent book and one which is very worthwhile reading especially for anyone interested in our state. All parts of New Hampshire are included in it in one way or another.

During my absence of about 6 months Mrs. Mabelle Page took over. She spent many hours here outside of library time. One very noticeable change made was in the arrangement of the bookcases and lights to correspond.

The reading table has been very much used this year especially on Wednesday evenings by the High School pupils.

At this time we wish to extend our thanks to the Frost heirs and to all those who have co-operated to make the past year a pleasant and worthwhile one for the library patrons and the librarians.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

Cash on hand Oct. 13, 1945	\$1 00
Received from fines	31 25

Cash from sale of magazines	9 75
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	\$42 00
Paid treasurer	\$36 50
Paid box rent	1 60
Paid for cards and supplies	2 90
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	\$41 00
Cash on hand Oct. 19, 1946	\$1 00

Respectfully submitted,  
**HELENA CROTEAU,**  
 Librarian.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

The undersigned treasurer of the Frost Free Library would respectfully submit the following Financial Report for the period Oct. 1, 1945 to Oct. 1, 1946.

#### **RECEIPTS**

Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1945	\$170 52
Income from the R. S. Frost Fund	300 00
Appropriation from the Town of Marlboro	300 00
Income from the A. P. Frost Fund	12 50
Fines on books, etc.	36 50
Refund on coal	2 00
Refund on books	12 23
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	\$833 75

#### **EXPENDITURES**

Mr. George O. Smith, janitor	\$140 50
Mrs. Helena Croteau, librarian	53 75
Mrs. Mabelle Page, librarian	30 50
Mrs. Shirley Martin, librarian	15 75
New England News Co., books	113 83
Personal Book Shop, books	108 52
Jean Karr and Co., books	39 05
Chase's Book Store, book	1 12



Ward Bros, coal	67 10
Harry Mahon, magazines	38 95
Edith Tuttle, magazines	36 80
Uncle Ray Magazine subscription	1 90
Harold B. Derby, insurance	42 50
Public Service Co.	17 88
Remington Rand, supplies	14 28
C. F. Worcester, repair roof	14 00
Walter Clark, sawing wood	7 50
Hall and Croteau, funeral flowers for Elfreda Cheesman	5 00
Geo. O. Smith, having ashes removed and lawn mower sharpened	4 00
Otto Baldvins, electrical work	2 20
Check book	1 75
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	\$756 88
Oct. 1, 1946, balance on hand	76 87
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	\$833 75

Respectfully submitted,  
RUTH E. HEMENWAY,  
Treasurer.

Oct. 1, 1946.

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## REPORT OF MARLBORO BOARD OF HEALTH

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There has been quite a few cases of chicken pox, measles and mumps. Also spinal meningitis and some poliomyelitis cases. These cases are coming along well.

The prompt reporting of these contagious diseases has been a big factor in preventing epidemics.

CHAS. F. WEBB,  
Acting Health Officer.



## MARLBORO COMMUNITY NURSING ASSOCIATION

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To the Marlboro Community Nursing Association the president presents the following report for the year ending December 30, 1946.

Miss Robbins left our community for another position last December 30. We were still without any resident doctor and a shortage of both nurses and doctors. The change of working hours in a day for nurses from 12 to 8 left us with a difficult situation.

Miss Cora Lambert very willingly and capably carried on the work of the Association during the month of January. We are very grateful to her for her assistance for without the use of a car it was not particularly easy.

Very many interviews and contacts were made by the committee. At last we were fortunate in contacting Miss Ruth Nichols who was on terminal leave from the army. It took a little time to get things into working order as among other things she had to get a car. So, May 5 she officially took over as our district nurse. She came to us very highly recommended by the state board of health and has many years experience in this line of work.

Because of increased expenditures due to a raise in salary and general conditions the town was asked for an appropriation of \$1,000.00. The fee for a call was raised from 75 cents to a dollar. This was also done by the insurance companies as well as surrounding towns.

We wish at this time to express our thanks and gratitude to all who have been so patient and helpful to the association in any way whatsoever, financially, with the use of their car and time or otherwise.

And at this time I personally wish to thank each and everyone of the association for their whole-hearted co-operation and assistance at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

HELENA CROTEAU,

President.

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### TREASURER'S REPORT

#### MARLBORO COMMUNITY NURSING ASSOCIATION

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The undersigned treasurer of the Marlboro Community Nursing Association respectfully submits the following financial report for the year 1946.

#### RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1946, balance on hand	\$1,738 04
Dec. 31, 1946, town appropriation for 1946	1,000 00
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, memberships	199 00
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, school district,	
Marlboro	\$135 00
Roxbury	2 00      137 00
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, collections by nurses	100 25
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, Metropolitan Insurance Co.	78 50
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, American Mutual Ins. Co.	5 50
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, John Hancock Ins. Co.	75
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, refund on telephone	1 49
	<hr/> \$3,260 53

#### EXPENDITURES

Jan. 1-Dec. 31, nurses' salaries	\$1,567 10
Miss Cora Lambert, R. N.	
Miss Ruth Nichols, R. N.	
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, use of Miss Nichols' car and travel expenses	250 00
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, nurses' telephone	54 73
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, rent on apartment, 3 mos.	45 00
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, heat and light in apartment, 3 mos.	23 31

Jan. 1-Dec. 31, Miss Edith Tuttle, telephone	34 56
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, Bullard and Shedd, supplies	39 19
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, printing new rules, stationery and membership letters	50 25
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, moving desk	2 50
Jan. 1-Dec. 31, bank charges	01
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	\$2,066 45
Balance, Jan. 1, 1947	1,194 08
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	\$3,260 53

Respectfully submitted,  
RUTH E. HEMENWAY,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF MARLBORO COMMUNITY NURSING

I hereby submit my annual report covering the period from Jan. 1, 1946 to Jan. 1, 1947, (less 4 months).

The aim of the Nursing Service has been:— (1) To give bedside care to those who are ill. (2) To instruct those caring for the sick the importance of cleanliness, protection of others in the home and to teach simple procedures involved in giving nursing care in the absence of the nurse. (3) To find through an annual physical examination of each school child such symptoms as will tend to retard his progress in school. And assist needy children to secure corrections. (4) For protection of the school to exclude any pupils showing symptoms of a communicable disease and assist the parents to correct the condition so the child may return to school promptly.

### GENERAL VISITING SERVICE

Medical calls	157
Surgical calls	301
Prenatal visits	2
Post-partum	8
Newborn	10
Obstetrical	2

Orthopedic	1
Free calls	53
Patients taken to hospital	36

A toxoid clinic was held at the Community Hall July 29, 1946. 17 children received the toxoid. A second clinic was postponed due to infantile paralysis.

A report of school work will be given among school reports.

In conclusion, I should like to thank the members of the Nursing Association and citizens for their splendid cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH M. NICHOLS,

Public Health Nurse.



## REPORT OF INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE ON WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM

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Report of the committee designated by the March 1946 town meeting to investigate the need and practicability of obtaining a water supply system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

### AUTHORIZATION

At the March 1946 town meeting a committee of three was elected to investigate and report to the next town meeting on water and sewerage.

The sum of Five Hundred Dollars was raised and appropriated to carry out the investigation.

A committee of three was elected consisting of Wilfred Arsenault, chairman, Edward S. L'heureux, member, and Arthur A. Croteau, member. The committee has attended to its duties and submits herewith the following findings with recommendations.

### FINDINGS

The committee finds that there is an urgent need for the installation of water works, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant. The need of such facilities within the compact part of the town has long been known.

The committee's investigation for a source of supply of water has resulted in the conclusion that the best and most constant supply can be obtained by the utilization of Stone Pond.

Stone Pond is located at an altitude of 1295 feet and contains 64.92 acres of water body. Of this total acreage 58.74 acres lie in the Town of Marlboro and 6.18 acres in the Town of Dublin. The Pond has a water shed of about one and one-half square miles and should furnish a run-off of approximately one



million gallons a day. Several tests have been made of the water and the results obtained show the water to be of excellent quality and free from contamination. Observation of the supply warrants the conclusion that the Pond maintains a fairly constant level of supply. A level which should be adequate to meet the needs for some time to come.

It is the committee's opinion that, whereas there are, in the compact part of the town, approximately 200 owner occupied homes and approximately 100 tenent occupied houses in which approximately one thousand people live, an adequate sewerage system is not only desirable but is badly needed.

If a sewerage system is installed it will become necessary to erect and maintain a sewerage disposal plant. This latter recommendation is predicted upon future needs, recommendation of the State Board of Health and in anticipation of action taken by the present legislature relative to the pollution of streams. The only stream available to receive sewerage is the Minnewawa Brook which ultimately runs into Swanzey Pond. Utilization of this stream would be prohibited by the State Board of Health. Many people use Swanzey Pond for swimming and other recreational purposes.

The committee finds that at this time the town does not own or control water rights in Stone Pond and recommends that immediate steps be taken to obtain same.

#### FINANCING OF COMPLETE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

The Bureau of Community Facilities of the Federal Works Agency, upon application by the town, will make available funds for the preparation of complete plans and specifications for the construction of a definite project. Any advance made will be repaid to the Federal Government when the construction of the specific project so planned is undertaken. It is the understanding of your committee that if the project does not go forward as

planned the money advanced by the Federal Government is not repaid.

If the town desires to avail itself of an allotment from the Federal Government it must decide, at either a special or regular town meeting, upon a definite project and authorize the employment of an engineer or engineers for the preparation of plans and specifications, and further authorize the town to enter into a written agreement with the United States of America for an advance for the preparation of plans and specifications for the project pursuant to whatever federal authorization may be in effect at the time.

### FINANCING

Under the present law a limitation of twenty years is placed upon the time in which to pay for a project such as we have proposed through the issuance of bonds or notes. The committee suggests that authorization be sought from the present legislature (1947) to extend by a private act the period of payment to thirty years. It is permissible for the legislature to take such action and has done so in other situations. It is suggested that the following bill be immediately introduced in the legislature:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1. **AUTHORIZATION.** The town of Marlboro is hereby authorized and empowered to construct and maintain such water works, sewerage system and sewerage disposal plant as it may deem necessary to comply with the requirements of the state board of health relative thereto. Said town may determine whether said construction and maintenance shall be paid by assessment of water rents or by the issuance of bonds or notes of the town, or both. In case such assessments are made the selectmen may assess the same to be paid in annual installments extending over a period not exceeding thirty years.

2. **BONDS OR NOTES.** The town of Marlboro is hereby authorized and empowered to issue on the credit of the town serial bonds or notes for the purpose of providing

funds for the water works, sewerage system and sewerage disposal plant, as provided in section 1, or any part thereof, to such an amount as it may deem necessary. The serial bonds or notes issued in accordance with the provisions hereof shall be due and payable at such times, not more than thirty years from their date of issue, in such manner and with such provisions as the selectmen may determine.

3. **DEBT LIMIT.** In ascertaining and fixing the net debt of the town of Marlboro, under the provisions of chapter 72 of the Revised Laws, all indebtedness incurred under the authority of this act shall be deducted.

4. **APPLICATION OF LAWS.** Except as heretofore otherwise provided, the provisions of chapter 188 of the Revised Laws, relative to sewers, and the provisions of chapter 72 of the Revised Laws, relative to municipal bonds, shall apply to the water works, sewerage system and sewerage disposal plant of the town of Marlboro and to bonds and notes herein authorized.

5. **TAKES EFFECT.** This act shall take effect upon its passage.

If it is decided at the March town meeting to go ahead with these projects it will be necessary to create a new committee for the purpose of obtaining the complete plans and specifications for the project, and that such committee and the selectmen have the authority to enter into a written agreement with the United States of America for an advance for the preparation of the plans and specifications for the project.

Your committee therefore suggests that the following articles be inserted in the town warrant for March 1947 meeting:

**ARTICLE I.** To see if the town will vote to formulate plans for a water supply system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the town will elect a committee consisting of three for the purpose of employing an engineer or engineers for the preparation of complete plans and specifications for the building of a water supply



system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

ARTICLE III. To see if the town will vote to authorize the committee which is to investigate and obtain plans and specifications for the construction of a water supply system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant to request from the United States of America an advancement of funds necessary to employ an engineer or engineers for the preparation of complete plans and specifications for the construction of a water supply system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

ARTICLE IV. To see if the town will vote to authorize the chairman of the board of selectmen and the chairman of the committee appointed to further investigate and plan for the construction of a water supply system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant to enter into a written agreement with the United States of America for an advance of funds to employ an engineer or engineers for the preparation of plans and specifications for the project pursuant to Title V of The War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944 or any other federal act which would entitle the town to such an advancement.

### RECOMMENDATIONS

1. The installation of water works (water supply system), a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

2. That the town vote to plan for the installation and construction of a water works (water supply system), a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

3. That the town authorize a committee to employ an engineer or engineers for the preparation of complete plans and specifications for the proposed water works, sewerage system and sewerage disposal plant.

4. That the town vote to authorize the chairman of the board of selectmen and the chairman of the committee on investigation and planning to enter into a written agreement with the United States of America for the purpose of obtaining advancement of funds necessary for the preparation of plans and specifications for the project.

5. That the town seek, through a special act of the legislature, an extension of the twenty year period to a thirty year period in which to pay off its notes or bonds which it may issue to finance this project.

6. That the town obtain water rights in Stone Pond.

WILFRED ARSENAULT,  
Chairman,

E. S. L'HEUREUX,  
ARTHUR A. CROTEAU.



## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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### (SCHOOL WARRANT)

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Marlborough qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the eleventh day of March 1947, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) for milk and Cod Liver Oil for underweight children.

10. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) to help maintain services for the school lunch program.

11. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for special repairs and new equipment.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Marlborough this 3rd day of February, 1947.

RAY E. TARBOX,  
ALDEN J. BEAUREGARD,  
CLIFFORD E. RICHARDSON,  
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RAY E. TARBOX,  
ALDEN J. BEAUREGARD,  
CLIFFORD E. RICHARDSON,  
School Board.

**SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1947-1948**  
**(Detailed Budget)**  
**School District of Marlborough**

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School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1947.

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**

Support of schools:

	High	Elementary	
Teachers' salaries	\$9,500 00	\$12,000 00	
Text books	150 00	550 00	
Scholar's supplies	150 00	750 00	
Flags and appurtenances		10 00	
Other expenses of instruction	100 00	275 00	
Janitor service	270 00	1,080 00	
Fuel	175 00	800 00	
Water, light, janitors' supplies	100 00	400 00	
Minor repairs and expenses	100 00	500 00	
Health supervision (medical inspection)	75 00	225 00	
Transportation of pupils		2,200 00	
Other special activities	50 00	100 00	
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	\$10,670 00	\$18,890 00	\$29,560 00

Other statutory requirements:

Salaries of district officers, (fixed by district)	\$242 00
Truant officer and school census, (fixed by district)	35 00
Superintendent's excess salary, (fixed by Supervisory Union)	676 00
Per capita tax, (report of state treasurer)	506 00

*Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	895 00	2,354 00
Total amount required to meet school board's budget		<u>\$31,914 00</u>

## ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State aid (December 1947 allotment)	\$3,000 00	
Dog tax (estimate)	175 00	
Income from trust funds (estimate)	300 00	
Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)		<u>3,475 00</u>
Assessment required to balance school board's budget		<u>\$28,439 00</u>
Special appropriation proposed: (Articles in Warrant)		
For milk and cod liver oil	\$150 00	
For support of school lunch program	350 00	
For special repairs and new equipment	500 00	
		<u>1,000 00</u>
Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriations		<u>\$29,439 00</u>

RAY E. TARBOX,  
ALDEN J. BEAUREGARD,  
CLIFFORD E. RICHARDSON,  
School Board.

\*This item includes legal obligations such as judgments, orders of State Department of Health on complaint, necessary rent and cost of authorized administration and insurance. Repairs in excess of 5% of the school money, new equipment and major construction must be raised under special articles in the warrant.

*Insurance	\$120 00	
Administration	250 00	
Teachers retirement assessment	525 00	
		<u>\$895 00</u>



## SCHOOL BOARD ESTIMATES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

(Rearranged From Detailed Budget)

For School Year from July 1, 1947 to June 30, 1948

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### Article No. 5:

Salaries of district officers	\$242 00
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### Article No. 8:

For support of elementary schools,	\$18,890 00
For support of high school	10,670 00
Superintendent's excess salary	676 00
Truant officer and school census	35 00
Per capita tax	506 00
N. H. State Teacher's Retirement	
assessment,	525 00
Insurance and administration	370 00
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Total	\$31,672 00
Less estimated income of district	3,475 00
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28,197 00

### Article No. 9:

Milk and Cod Liver Oil for health program	150 00
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### Article No. 10:

To help maintain services for school lunch program	350 00
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### Article No. 11:

For special repairs and new equipment	500 00
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Total assessment required	<hr style="width: 100%;"/> \$29,439 00
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## REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1946

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Cash on hand June 30, 1945	\$213 41
Received from selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year	\$23,661 34
Dog tax	174 72
Income from trust funds	305 65
Received from state treasurer	2,359 61
Federal reimbursements U. S. D. A.	
milk fund	207 70
Received from all other sources	342 60
	27,051 62
Total amount available for fiscal year	\$27,265 03
Less school board orders paid	27,177 60
	\$87 43
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1946	

Respectfully submitted,  
**ROBERT C. DERBY,**  
 District Treasurer.

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Marlboro, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946 and find them correct in all respects.

**MILDRED K. FISKE,**  
**ELIZABETH B. JACKSON,**  
 Auditors.

July 9, 1946.

**FINANCIAL REPORT  
OF THE MARLBORO SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
For The Fiscal Year Beginning  
July 1, 1945 and Ending June 30, 1946

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**RECEIPTS**

State and federal aid:

Equalization fund for elementary schools	\$2,359 61
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Income from local taxation:

For the support of elementary schools	\$11,395 00
For the support of high school	8,955 00
For the salaries of district officers	779 34
For the payment of per capita tax	482 00
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district,	500 00
Special appropriations	1,550 00
	23,661 34

From sources other than taxation:

Dog licenses (from selectmen)	\$174 72
High school tuitions	85 00
Income from local trust funds	305 65
Other receipts	257 60
Reimbursements from U. S. D. A.	
Milk Fund	207 70
	1,030 67

Total receipts from all sources	\$27,051 62
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1945	213 41
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Grand total	\$27,265 03
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## PAYMENTS

	Total Amount	General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Ele. School
Administration:				
Salaries of district officers	\$242 00	\$242 00		
Superintendent's excess salary	514 29	514 29		
Truant officers and school census	26 60	26 60		
Expenses of administration	197 83	197 83		
Instruction:				
Principals' and teachers' salaries	18,417 30		\$7,804 16	\$10,613 14
Text books	369 94		102 60	267 34
Scholars' supplies	412 64		115 43	297 21
Flags and appurtenances	5 40			5 40
Other expenses of instruction	148 28		26 11	122 17
Operation and maintenance of school plant:				
Janitor service	1,214 50		244 59	969 91
Fuel	993 74		135 09	858 65
Water, light, janitor's supplies	364 31		79 92	284 39
Minor repairs and expenses	771 64		131 95	639 69
Auxiliary agencies and special activities:				

	Total Amount	General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Ele. School
Medical inspection-health supervision	225 00		25 00	200 00
Transportation of pupils	1,850 00			1,850 00
Other special activities	60 07		22 50	37 57
Fixed charges:				
Tax for state wide supervision	482 00	482 00		
Insurance and other fixed charges	228 45	228 45		
Outlay for construction and equipment:				
Alterations of old buildings	216 65	216 65		
New equipment	57 57	57 57		
Debt, interest and other charges:				
Milk fund account	359 89	359 89		
Hospitalization account	19 50	19 50		
Total payments for all purposes	\$27,177 60	\$2,344 78	\$8,687 35	\$16,145 47
Total cash on hand at end of year	87 43			
Grand total	\$27,265 03			

## BALANCE SHEET

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### ASSETS JUNE 30, 1946

Cash on hand:

Balance June 30, 1946	\$87 43	
Elementary tuitions	60 00	
Total assets		\$147 43
Grand total		\$147 43

### LIABILITIES JUNE 30, 1946

Excess of assets over liabilities		\$147 43
Grand total		\$147 43

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## CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

RAY E. TARBOX,  
ALDEN J. BEAUREGARD,  
CLIFFORD E. RICHARDSON,  
School Board.

JOHN H. FRYE, Superintendent.  
July 3, 1946.



**AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE**

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This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Marlboro, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MILDRED K. FISKE,  
ELIZABETH B. JACKSON,  
Auditors.

July 9, 1946.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Marlboro:

I herein submit my fourth annual report as superintendent of schools.

More than a full year has passed since the end of World War II. The end of the war has brought no relief to the deficiencies in the American public school system. The situation has become steadily more critical.

An appraisal of American schools reveals many inadequacies in the personnel, facilities and services that are necessary to meet the needs of children and the welfare of the nation.

Teachers leaving the profession since 1939 have formed the greatest vocational exodus in history. A new policy of teachers salaries must be established with consideration for relative pay in other occupations.

Adequate health facilities and programs are non-existent in a very large proportion of schools. Sound health is the most valuable individual and national asset.

The health program might well include organized outdoor sports and recreation for all children extended throughout the summer months. There is also a great need for dental service in the schools. The school lunch program as recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture and sponsored by the State Board of Education is a desirable project. This service has become a definite part of the days program in the Marlboro schools and will be operated as an educational experience rather than a "feeding station".

More opportunities should be offered for pupils to practice the various duties of citizenship both in the schools and in the community. The financial tribute exacted by crime in general is great. "Less than two percent of the population may be classed as criminal, yet the fi-

nancial losses caused by this small percent amounts to more than five times the sum spent annually for public education in the interest of all children”.

### THE SCHOOL PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The Marlboro School Buildings are being well maintained. Several replacements will soon become necessary in the high school building. The ceilings, furniture and floors show the results of many years of constant service. The toilet facilities should be replaced soon.

The effectiveness of the heating system has been greatly improved by insulating the high school building. By special arrangements with the Johns Manville Company the cost of the insulation will be paid annually by net savings in the amount of fuel consumed. The pupils and teachers have been much more comfortable since this improvement.

The fire escape has been strengthened and extended to the ground on the south side of the building. The top window exit has also been improved.

A new school lunch and home economics room has been completed. This provides more than ample space for a standard size classroom.

In the process of making these alterations two floor timbers were replaced and two new steel posts were added to strengthen the building. The auxiliary heating system installed for the science laboratory last year has been extended so that the big boiler now provides ample radiation for both basement classrooms.

The new all electric equipment for this room, made possible by Federal Funds, includes refrigeration, ranges and hot water facilities. At the present time a full meal can be properly served to about one hundred pupils.

The labor necessary to prepare these lunches has been provided through the cooperation of the women in the community. This part of the project has been under the leadership of the Parent-Teachers' Association and has been a great contribution to the welfare of the school. It

has been recommended that the school district consider the employment of a regular adult worker for this purpose.

### ORGANIZATION AND CLASSIFICATION

Grades	Teachers	Enrollment Sept. 1946
7-12	Irving H. Gordon, Hdm. William O. Frazer Margaret M. Miner Eleanor C. Labrie Elizabeth Arsenault Charlotte Chapman* Isabelle Emond*	117
6	Leatrice Streeter	26
5	Mary M. Scott	26
4	Elsie E. Jewett	20
3	Rose A. Hackler	21
2	Vera L. Pinkham	28
1	Marion H. Clark	28
Total number of pupils		266

\*From Keene Teachers' College.

At the close of the school year in June, Theodore Boorum, Ann Kenneally and Helen St. George resigned from the High School faculty. At that time Mabel Holt and Frances Cushing announced their retirement as teachers in the elementary grades. Grace Ingham and Lars Anderson also resigned. Della Robbins, the school and community nurse, had left us as of January 1, 1946 and was replaced by Ruth Nichols.

The Marlboro School District acknowledges with gratitude the long and faithful services of these people in our schools. To Mabel Holt belongs the honor of more than half a century of successful leadership in teaching high ideals, good habits, and the basic learning processes to the younger pupils of this community. This record of service for the welfare of others is outstanding. The former pupils of Miss Holt, Miss Cushing, Grace Ingham and Lars



Anderson join with the school officials in this fine tribute to their former leaders.

The assignment of teachers and pupil activities are indicated in the detailed report of the Headmaster which is submitted herewith with that of the school nurse.

The school district is fortunate in retaining the services of fully qualified teachers throughout the entire school system during the present teacher shortage. The new teachers; Mr. Frazer, Miss Miner, Miss Streeter, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Clark and the Teachers from the College in Keene are all doing good work.

The plan to maintain a music teacher in the schools ended suddenly at the beginning of the school year when Mr. Rodney Wiggin, the Union Music Supervisor, resigned and accepted a position elsewhere. No suitable candidate for this specialized work has become available. Miss Streeter has organized a glee club in the elementary grades and Miss Chapman has done vocal work with the high school group.

#### STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1945-1946

Total length of school year in weeks	37
Number of pupils registered	253
Number of half days schools were in session	350
Number of half days schools were closed	20
Average membership	229 27
Average attendance	215 35
Percent of attendance for Marl- boro schools	93 92
Number of tardinesses	427
Number of pupils not absent nor tardy	16
Number of visits by members of school board	18
Number of visits by superintendent	240
Number of visits by citizens	214
Number of visits by school physician	14



Number of visits by school nurse	124
Number of pupils transported by district	32

### ATTENDANCE HONOR ROLL

Pupils neither absent nor tardy for the entire school year ending June, 1946.

#### HIGH SCHOOL, GRADES 7-12

*Betty Weston	*Jean A. Croteau
*Doris Brown	*Philip DesJardins
Evelyn Croteau	Jane Hall
	Carl Russell

#### ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, GRADES 1-6

Janice Dupres	*Carol Clark
Raymond Green	Robert Richardson
David Hunt	Albert Croteau
Joyce Tardiff	*Donald Stoodley
	*Charles Weston

\*These pupils have had perfect attendance for two years or more.

### CONCLUSION

The good work of the graduates and the results of tests administered to the pupils in the school indicate satisfactory achievement. The ability, interests and achievement of each pupil is tested semi-annually and the results recorded. From these records and other sources individual pupils may be measured and analyzed over a period of years. These records reveal the important facts necessary for effective guidance.

In order to safeguard and bring to the highest state of perfection the physical, intellectual and moral growth of the pupils, the home must not neglect its responsibilities if the teacher is to discharge her duties effectively.

I wish to thank the teachers, the members of the school board, and all other school employees for their service to the district. The cooperation of the parents and citi-

zens, and also the various organizations within the community, is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. FRYE,

Superintendent of Schools.

Marlborough, N. H.

January 29, 1947.

## HEADMASTER'S REPORT FOR 1946

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Mr. John H. Frye, Superintendent of Schools, Marlboro, New Hampshire:

I herewith submit my fourth annual report as Headmaster of Marlboro High School.

### ENROLLMENT

At the close of the last school year there was an enrollment of 56 in grades 9-12 and 41 in grades 7 and 8. In September, the figures were 68 for senior high and 49 for junior high. This represented a total increase of twenty pupils over the June figures. It is interesting to note that only two members of last year's eighth grade did not enter high school. The September figures when tabulated by grade and sex show the following:

	Boys	Girls	Total
Grade 7	18	8	26
Grade 8	13	10	23
	—	—	—
Junior High total	31	18	49
Grade 9	9	12	21
Grade 10	7	9	16
Grade 11	9	8	17
Grade 12	7	7	14
	—	—	—
Senior High total	32	36	68

Since September, eight pupils have withdrawn for the following reasons: Employment 4; Moved away 2; Loss of interest 1; Out of town for the winter 1. One pupil has entered since the beginning of the year giving a total registration on this date of 110 in grades 7-12.

Among the pupils enrolling in September who were not members of the school in June are two ex-servicemen, Richard Barron and Gordon Mullally. They were originally members of the Class of 1946. These boys are enrolled in

the present senior class and are doing creditable work. Their desire to return and complete the high school program is to be commended.

### TEACHERS AND SUBJECTS

The teachers and their assigned subjects are listed below:

Mrs. Elizabeth Arsenault: History and Civics (7-8), Geography, Junior Business Training, Civics 9, Practical Arts (7-8), B and C subjects.

Miss Eleanor Labrie: English 7, English 9-12, B and C subjects, Dramatics.

Miss Margaret Miner: Office Practice, Stenography, Typing, Bookkeeping, Commercial Geography, Girls' Athletics.

Mr. William O. Frazer: Science 7-9 Biology; United States History; Manual Arts 7-8; Playground supervision; Junior High athletics.

Miss Isabelle Emond: French; Latin; Economics. (Sept. 4 to Jan. 24).

Miss Mary Esther Nagel: French; Latin; Economics; B and C subjects. (Jan. 27 to June).

Miss Charlotte Chapman: English 8; History of Civilization; Modern European History; B and C work. (Sept. 4 to Jan. 24).

Miss Beverly Wyman: English 8; History of Civilization; Modern European History; B and C work. (Jan 27 to June).

Mr. Irvin Gordon: Headmaster, Chemistry; Mathematics 7-8; Algebra 9; Geometry; Athletics.

### SCHOLARSHIP

Most of the pupils are doing satisfactory work. The few who are not working up to capacity have poor study habits and should be encouraged by the home to give more attention to assigned work. Pupils should plan to spend an average minimum of two hours per day in study outside of school time.



All teachers are assigned certain afternoons when they are in their rooms to assist pupils needing individual attention. More pupils should be encouraged by the parents to take advantage of these periods for special help.

A check of the marks given for the school year, September 1945 to June 1946 shows the following honor rolls:

High honor—Average of 93 or higher:

Seniors:

Lois Olson

Juniors:

Dorothy Reed

Freshmen:

Johanna Beaudoin

Robert Larro

Grade VIII:

Helen Hendrickson

David Richardson

Grade VII:

Gloria Allen

Honor—Average 85-93:

Seniors:

Napoleon Benoit

Ruth Brown

Jane Hall

Priscilla Richardson

Walter Sanders

Bertha Tonseth

Juniors:

Theresa Dutile

Freeland Yardley

Sophomores:

Doris Brown

Joseph Cheney

Caroline Clark

Freshmen:

David Cheney

Joanne Croteau

Eleanor Dutile

Eleanor Richardson

Loretta Richardson

Grade VIII:

Alton Chamberlain

Patricia Chickering

John DesJardins

Patricia Larro

Robert Lorandean

Sally Robinson

Harold Tonseth

Frances Ward

Grade VII:

John Baldvins

Dale Larro

Mary Martin

Theresa Martin

George Mason

Roger Voudren

Betty Weston



This listing includes approximately 40 percent of the pupils in gr̄ades 7-12.

### ATTENDANCE

During the period between September 4, 1946 and January 24, 1947, 31 pupils have had perfect attendance. The list follows:

- Grade VII: Betty Burgess, Edward Croteau, Irving Grace, Alfred Lambert, Charles Weston.
- Grade VIII: Janis Croteau, Almon Davis, Hollis Hall, Dale Larro, Richard Parker, Betty Weston.
- Grade IX: Mary Cheney, Patricia Chickering, Carolyn Ford, Helen Hendrickson, Loretta Lambert, Sally Robinson, Marion Worcester.
- Grade X: Eleanor Richardson, Doris Robichaud, Carl Russell.
- Grade XI: Doris Brown, Caroline Clark, Evelyn Croteau, Jean A. Croteau, Arthur Williams, Barbara Yardley.
- Grade XII: Dorothy Reed, Freeland Yardley, Phillip DesJardins, William Yardley.

### SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

During the second half of the last school year the usual social events were held. Attempts were made to run these on a high level with educational value. Outstanding among these was the Junior Promenade held in the Community House in May.

The school magazine which is a project of the Junior Class was published twice between February and June. The sponsors made little profit on this project but believe it is worthwhile as it gives all a chance to express themselves in writing.

The pupils continued to participate in the program of The United States Treasury Department, making weekly purchases of stamps and bonds. Unfortunately, this was not as well supported as in past years.

In May the Annual Scholarship Day was revived at the Teachers College. Marlboro High School was represented by Lois Olson, Bertha Tonseth and Walter Sanders. This team competed in English Grammar and made the best showing of all at Keene and placed second in the entire state.

Also in May, members of the student body went to Newport to participate in the Auditions Festival sponsored by the New Hampshire Music Educators' Association. The group took part in the chorus division and received good rating.

During the present school year several activities have been carried on which help the pupils to develop socially. The Sophomores took proper steps to make the Freshmen full fledged members of the school on September 27 with the usual initiation and reception. This affair was well carried out and showed careful planning.

The films obtained through the University of New Hampshire Library have been of good quality and of high educational value. These have been supplemented by free films obtained from commercial organizations.

The Annual Harvest Dance was held in the Town Hall in October. This was sponsored by the Juniors and was most successful in all respects.

In November, the Seniors sponsored the dramatic production "Junior Miss." All the parts were well taken and many pupils who were appearing on the stage for the first time showed considerable ability.

The fall term came to a close on December 20, with a Christmas Assembly. A varied program, including a one act play and several numbers appropriate to the season, was followed by an exchange of gifts and the enjoyment of refreshments. This annual assembly means much to the pupils as all show respect and reverence to the true meaning of the holiday.

#### CLASS OF 1946

All fourteen members of this class who were graduated on June 14, are either receiving higher education or

are gainfully employed. It is commendable that eight of this total number are now in school. Three are attending Keene Teachers College, two are at Becker Junior College in Worcester, Mass., one is at the University of New Hampshire, one at Boston University and one at Cushing Academy. Two of the boys are in the Armed Forces. The remaining four members of the class are employed locally, two of them holding positions determined by their high school training.

It was the pleasure of the Headmaster and Mrs. Gordon to accompany the group on a six day trip to Washington, D. C. and New York City during the April vacation. Much educational value came from this trip. The group was particularly impressed by visits to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and the Capitol. The pupils met Senator Bridges and visited the offices of Congressman Adams. The two days spent in New York City proved to be very enlightening as members of the group became aware of the complexity of such a metropolis.

The Baccalaureate Service, held in the Community House on Sunday, June 9, 1946, opened the activities of Commencement Week.

### PROGRAM

Prelude	Leybach
"Fifth Nocturne"	
Processional	Class of 1946
"Pomp and Circumstance"	Elgar
Invocation	
Anthems	Mixed Chorus
"Lovely Appear"	Gounod
"Send Out Thy Light"	Gounod
Scripture, Philippians 2:1-11	
Prayer	
Hymn	Congregation
"Faith of Our Fathers"	Walton
Baccalaureate Address	"The Christian Mind"
Dr. Whitney S. K. Yeaple	



Hymn	Congregation
"America, the Beautiful"	
Benediction	
Recessional	Class of 1946
"Marche Religieuse"	Gillette
Marshals	Pianists
Jessie White '47	Miss Frances Ward
Freeland Yardley '47	Mr. Rodney Wiggin
Director of Chorus	
Mr. Rodney Wiggin	

Other events included a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Knight, a theater party, Class Night Exercises and Graduation.

The class gift to the school was a sum of money to purchase a flag containing the school seal. This banner has not been obtained because of the delay by the manufacturers in furnishing the pattern of the seal which was designed for us. A recent communication promised delivery soon.

### GRADUATION PROGRAM

Marlboro High School

June 14, 1946

Processional	Class of 1946
"On Parade March"	Woodrow
High School Orchestra	
Invocation	Reverend Marshall O. Eck
Music	Mixed Chorus
Response: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"	Croft
Salutatory and Essay	Bertha Tonseth
"Schools and The War"	
Music	Mixed Chorus
"Lovely Appear"	Gounod
"John Peel"	Graves
Commencement Address	Professor Andres G. Truxal
Music	Mixed Chorus
"Send Out Thy Light"	Gounod
"All Through The Night"	Owen

Presentation of American Legion Award

Mr. Napoleon Benoit

Valedictory and Essay

Lois Olson

"Postwar Educational Trends"

Presentation of Diplomas

Supt. John H. Frye

Music

Assembly

"The Star Spangled Banner"

Smith

Benediction

Reverend Andre Brunelle

Music

Mixed Chorus

Closing response: "Now the Day Is Over" Barnby

Recessional

The Graduates

"Spirit of St. Louis"

Herfurth

High School Orchestra

### CLASS ROLL

Janice Elaine Barron

Napoleon Joseph Benoit Jr.

Ruth Eleanor Brown

3rd honor

Shirley Myrtle Chamberlain

Jane Estelle Hall

Carl Henry Knight

Helen Rugg Knight

5th honor

Patricia Ann L'heureux

Theresa Evelyn L'heureux

Lois Marion Olson

1st honor

Priscilla Mae Richardson

Walter Robert Sanders

4th honor

Jeannette Rose Thoin

Bertha Soffie Tonseth

2nd honor

### CLASS OFFICERS

President

Napoleon J. Benoit

Vice President

Theresa E. L'heureux

Secretary

Ruth E. Brown

Treasurer

Walter R. Sanders



## CLASS MOTTO

"Knowledge is Power"

## CLASS COLORS

Royal Blue and White

## CLASS FLOWER

Yellow Rose

## CLASS MARSHALS

Jessie White

Freeland Yardley

## COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Marlboro Junior High

Class of 1946

Processional

Pomp and Circumstance

Salutatory and Essay

David Richardson

"Medical Discoveries"

Class Song

Grade 8

Class Prophecy

Frances Ward

Music

Ciribiribin

## Junior High School

Class Will

Patricia Chickering

Class Gifts

John DesJardins

Valedictory and essay

Helen Hendrickson

Horace Mann, the Educator

Presentation of Diplomas

Mr. Gordon

Star Spangled Banner

Assembly

Recessional

Class

## Auld Lang Syne

Class Motto

As We Like It

Class Flower

Sweet Pea

Class Colors

Blue and Silver

Class Marshal

Dale Larro

## CLASS ROLL

Betina Beauregard

Alton Chamberlain

Mary Chency

Patricia Chickering

4th honor

John DesJardins

5th honor

Caroline Ford

Charles Green

Helen Hendrickson

1st honor

Loretta Lambert	
Patricia Larro	
Robert Lorandean	
Harold Pierce	
David Richardson	2nd honor
Sally Robinson	
Frank Stone	
Rupert Thompson	
Harold Tonseth	
Frances Ward	3rd honor
Carl Webber	
Rowena West	
Lee White	
Marion Worcester	

### ATHLETICS

The loss of players by graduation in 1945 was keenly felt during the early part of the last basketball season. The teams improved as the season advanced and the boys finished with a record of 11 wins and 7 losses. The girls team broke even in fourteen games and finished in third place in the Monadnock League.

In baseball the team met strong competition and won three of seven games. Again lack of seasoned material was a handicap.

This fall "cross country" was adopted in the Monadnock League. The school was represented by a team and did fairly well in most of the meets. Practically all members of the team were Sophomores and Freshmen so prospects are good for next season.

At present the basketball teams are enjoying successful seasons. To date the boys have won ten games and lost three. The girls have a record of five victories and four defeats.

The electric scoreboard and automatic timer for which money was presented in April 1945 was delivered in October 1946 and has added much to the enjoyment of the fans at our games.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

	Balance		Balance	
	Jan. 28, '46	Receipts	Payments	Jan. 30, '47
Class of 1946	\$741 73	\$603 35	\$1,310 17	\$34 91
Class of 1947	112 93	1,029 77	528 39	614 31
Class of 1948	24 60	200 15	80 58	144 17
Class of 1949	000 00	21 05	000 00	21 05
Class of 1950	000 00	12 00	000 00	12 00
Athletics	326 94	947 60	1,005 25	269 29
General Fund	296 21	296 57	531 34	61 44

## CONCLUSION

The same excellent spirit of cooperation continues to exist throughout our organization. This feeling of pride in the school and the willingness of all to help in making our school strong. I wish to express my thanks to you as Superintendent of Schools, to the School Board Members, to the teachers, to Miss Nichols and to Mr. Clark for the efforts that have helped to make the school function smoothly.

The parents and townspeople have an interest in our institution and prove it by supporting every activity which we sponsor.

Respectfully submitted,

IRVIN H. GORDON,

Headmaster.

Marlborough, N. H.

January 31, 1947.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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The following report is submitted to Mr. John Frye, Superintendent of Schools:

The annual physical examination was given to all pupils during September by the school physician, Dr. Frank Elkavich of Troy, N. H., assisted by Ruth M. Nichols, R. N.

The following conditions were found:

Total number of pupils examined,				260
Pupils underweight				12
Vision defects	27	Corrections	to date	26
Hearing defects	5	"	" "	1
Nervous system	4	"	" "	1
Heart condition	2	"	" "	1
Skin defects	9	"	" "	2
Posture defects	2	"	" "	1
Teeth defective	63	"	" "	33
Tonsils defective	66	"	" "	15
Enlarged glands				3
Hernia				1
Scabies	1	Corrections	to date	1
Impetigo	3	"	" "	3
Poison Ivy	3	"	" "	3

The following communicable diseases have been reported during the past year.

Chicken pox	3
Whooping cough	5
Measles	8
Mumps	19
Infantile paralysis	(1 pre-school) 2

The audiometer test was given at school in November. Two hundred pupils were tested. Thirty pupils were found

with defective hearing and retested. Of this number ten were found defective and tested a third time.

The State Board of Education plans to contact Dr. Ford, if possible at his convenience for appointments for these pupils at no charge to the parents.

I wish to thank you, the members of the school Board, the Teachers, Parents and pupils for such excellent co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,  
RUTH M. NICHOLS, R. N.

Marlborough, N. H.  
January 15, 1947.



## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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### (TOWN WARRANT)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Marlboro in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Marlboro on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for repairs and construction of sidewalks or act in any manner relating thereto.

4. To see if the Town will raise a sum of money for repairs, water storage, equipment, supplies and other expenses of the Fire Department.

5. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for Electric lights.

6. To see if the Town will raise the sum of \$1,500.00 to aid the Community Nursing Association or act in any manner relating thereto.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for Memorial Day.

8. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sums for Perpetual Care of Cemetery lots received since January 1, 1946.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote for the purchase of Tar for its Highways or act in any manner relating thereto.

10. To see if the Town will vote to Tar Jewett Street, raise and appropriate money for the same or act in any manner relating thereto.

11. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid on Class V Roads, raise and appropriate the sum of \$513.46, the State to give \$2,053.85.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$137.00 (1/100th of 1% of the assessed valuation) to the Monadnock Region of Southern New Hampshire for the issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the Town in cooperation with the 37 other towns in the Monadnock Region.

13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote for the Athletic Field or take any action relating thereto.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$500.00 to help maintain the Frost Free Library or act in any manner relating thereto.

15. To see if the Town will grant the use of the Town Hall once a year to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to build a sidewalk on East Main Street, beginning at Terrace Street and building same as far as the money will allow.

17. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for Old Home Day, or act in any manner relating thereto.

18. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to augment a similar amount laid aside in 1946 and ear marked "School Fund", under the provisions of Chapter 160 of the Session Laws of 1943 as amended by Chapter 35 of the Session Laws of 1945.

19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the Old Picnic Ground.

20. To see if the Town will vote to formulate plans for a Water Supply System, a Sewerage System and a Sewerage Disposal Plant.

21. To see if the Town will elect a committee consisting of three for the purpose of employing an Engineer or Engineers for the preparation of complete plans and specifications for the building of a Water Supply System, a Sewerage System and a Sewerage Disposal Plant.

22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the committee which is to investigate and obtain plans and specifications for the construction of a Water Supply System, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant.

23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen and the Chairman of the Committee appointed to further investigate and plan for the construction of a water supply system, a sewerage system and a sewerage disposal plant to enter into a written agreement with the United States of America for an advance of funds to employ an Engineer or Engineers for the preparation of plans and specifications for the project pursuant to Title V of The War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944 or any other Federal Act which would entitle the Town to such an advancement.

24. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for exterminating White Pine Blister Rust.

25. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to secure the assistance of the State Tax Commission in reappraising the taxable property in the Town in order to secure greater equality as between taxpayers, and to insure the assessment of all property in the Town on the same standard of value, and to raise and appropriate money to pay for the same.

26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow on the credit of the Town in anticipation of taxes.

27. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town through Collector's deeds.

28. To hear reports of Town Agents or Committees or other officers heretofore chosen or appointed and pass any vote relating thereto.

29. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

CHARLES F. WEBB,  
CHARLES T. RICHARDSON,  
WALTER E. BUCKMINSTER,  
Selectmen of Marlboro.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHARLES F. WEBB,  
CHARLES T. RICHARDSON,  
WALTER E. BUCKMINSTER,  
Selectmen of Marlboro.



## BUDGET, TOWN OF MARLBORO

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### ESTIMATE OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR, DEC. 31, 1946 TO DEC. 31, 1947 COMPARED WITH ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PRE- VIOUS YEAR, DEC. 31, 1945 TO DEC. 31, 1946

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#### SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1946	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1947
From state:		
Railroad and savings bank tax	\$738 52	\$675 00
Interest and dividend tax	3,096 34	2,800 00
From local sources except taxes:		
Automobile permits	1,513 14	1,500 00
Rent of town property	594 00	475 00
Town local taxes, other than property:		
National bank stock	117 50	117 50
Estimated poll taxes	1,128 00	1,000 00
	\$7,187 50	\$6,567 50



## EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1946	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1947
Town officers' salaries	\$2,068 46	\$2,100 00
Town officers' expenses	1,072 83	1,100 00
Election and registration	312 90	200 00
Town hall	618 66	700 00
Police department	712 85	800 00
Moth extermination	126 00	125 00
Health department	491 48	400 00
Vital statistics	37 50	40 00
Libraries	20 00	20 00
Town poor	221 33	650 00
Old age assistance	857 89	1,000 00
Cemeteries	400 00	400 00
Interest	341 66	375 00
County tax	2,692 57	2,800 00
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	\$9,974 13	\$10,710 00
Estimated revenue		6,567 50
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Net budget to be raised by taxation		\$4,142 50
Other departments:		
Town highways	\$4,944 49	\$4,250 00
Snow removal and sanding	5,156 28	4,750 00
Tar	2,521 67	2,500 00
Sidewalks	200 00	200 00
General expense of highway	169 53	200 00
Class V roads	511 54	
Fire department	1,593 10	1,500 00
Street lighting	1,899 96	2,000 00
Nursing association	1,000 00	1,500 00
Library	500 00	500 00
Memorial Day	200 00	200 00
Monadnock Region	129 00	137 00

# VITAL STATISTICS

At the request of the Selectmen, there is submitted herewith a transcript of the births, marriages and deaths as recorded in the Office of the Town Clerk for the year ending December 31, 1946.

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1946

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.					
1946								
Jan. 13	Lee Roland	M	L	Clare R. MacKenzie	Claire M. Croteau	Unemployed	Marlboro	Keene
Feb. 4	Leland Roy	M	L	Harry L. Patnode	Ina W. Hakala	Truck driver	Marlboro	Marlboro
Mar. 9	Barbara Louise	F	L	Edward Alton Parker	Leona J. Hunt	Farm manager	E. Jaffrey	Greenfield, Ms.
" 18	Theresa Ann	F	L	Evven E. Grover	Theresa A. White	Weaver	Haverhill, Ms.	Winchester
" 29	Marlene Ann	F	L	Edward C. Nason	Dora L. Beaugard	Garage prop.	Marlboro	Quincy, Ms.
May 2	Norman Lee	M	L	Leo D. Daigle	Mamie Soucier	Wood chopper	Island Falls, Me.	Ft. Kent, Me.
" 19	Robert Francis	M	L	Bernard F. Silk	Frances M. Upton	Planer opt.	Nelson	Harrisville
" 21	Phyllis Elizabeth	F	L	Walter O. Rulf	Elsa M. Blume	Engineering Dept.	Stanberg, Ger.	Cologne, Ger.
" 25	Bruce Wayne	M	L	Robert H. Hall	Doris V. Gilbeault	Butcher	Troy	Claremont
June 10	Karen Jean	F	L	Charles H. Seaver	Winnifred M. Hanson	Auto mechanic	Maple Rapid, Mich.	Keene
" 11	Kenneth James	M	L	Gerald A. Rust	Marilyn C. Baker	Mechanic	Marlboro	Chateaugay, N. Y.
" 23	Ronald Paul	M	L	Clarence E. Grover	Hilda M. Johnson	U. S. Army	Milford	West Swanzey
" 28	Roy Leo	M	L	Rennie L. Tella	Marjorie P. Dunn	Wood chopper	Keene	Marlboro
" 29	Naomi Ruth	F	L	Oliver O. Giguere	Irene M. Greene	Woodsmen	Bethel, Vt.	Lawrence, Mass.
July 10	Corine Mary	F	L	Leon D. Wilcox	Eva Beaugard	Carpenter	Marlboro	Marlboro
" 27	Beverly Ann	F	L	Earl C. Wilson	Barbara H. Wood	Truck driver	Springfield, Vt.	Gilsom
Aug. 7	Infant Holman	M	L	Lloyd K. Holman	Florence M. Fortin	U. S. Army	Marlboro	Fitzwilliam
" 7	Constance Ann	F	L	Harold F. Corson	Josephine Sweet	Factory worker	Marlboro	Alton
" 9	Bruce Allen	M	L	Lynwood R. Grendell	Gladys E. Green	Woodsmen	Bennington	Chapman, Me.

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1946

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.					
Sept. 1	Shirley Ann	F	L	4	Walter U. Mattson	Lillian E. Streeter	Mg. gas station	Dublin	Marlboro
" 6	Patricia Ann	F	L	3	James S. Frost	Esther M. White	Laborer	Saxtons River, Vt.	Bellerica, Ms.
" 11	Susan	F	L	2	Carroll W. Richards	Elizabeth Aldrich	Shop foreman	Keene	Marlboro
" 22	Lorraine Doris	F	L	2	Francis L. Groteau	Doris A. Bedard	Toy maker	No. Uxbridge, Mass.	Marlboro
Oct. 29	George Edward	M	L	9	Philip F. Kincade	Dorothy E. Daggett	Shoe worker	Gloucester, Mass.	Gloucester, Ms.
Nov. 16	Bruce Alan	M	L	1	Frank H. Gibson	Arlene C. Ward	Laborer	Keene	Marlboro
" 17	Terry Jean	F	L	2	Raymond J. Huot	Evelyn C. Lewis	Mechanic	Marlboro	Biddeford, Me.
Dec. 18	Infant Green	F	L	1	Harrison C. Comstock	Mildred P. Rondow	Driver	Ellenburg Ctr., N. Y.	No. Troy, Vt.
" 24	Carole Ann	F	L	5	Albert C. Greene	Marcia C. Parker	Truck driver	Colebrook	Bennington
" 28	Barbara Ann	F	L	1	Matt F. Kauppi	Laura I. Rinta	Laborer	Marlboro	Marlboro
" 28	Jo-Ann	F	L	2	Wayne S. Proulx	Rita H. Lambert	Carpenter	Marlboro	Marlboro

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1946

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Conditions	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
1946 Feb. 3	Marlboro	Luther W. Nason Laura S. Chamberlain	Marlboro Marlboro	64 56	Retail grocer Housewife	Lowell, Ms. Bellingham, Ms.	Luther W. Nason Geo. H. Wyatt	Weathersfield, Vt. Albany, N. Y.	2d 2d	Rv M Eck Marlboro
Feb. 5	Marlboro	Lloyd K. Holman Florence Fortin	Fitzwilliam Marlboro	21 22	Auto mech. Shoe shop	Fitzwilliam Marlboro	Clifford C. Holman Annie M. Wheeler	Beverly Fms., Ms. Fitzwilliam England	1st 1st	Rv A J Brunelle Marlboro
Feb. 12	Keene	Joseph O. Poisson Anna L. McKernon	Marlboro Keene	21 21	Box maker Machine opt.	Marlboro Keene	Oliver Fortin Rose Viens Felix Poisson- Mary Ducett	Canada Canada Canada Marlboro	1st 1st	Rv J A Belford Keene
Feb. 16	Marlboro	Walter U. Mattson Lillian E. Lehto	Marlboro Troy	35 25	Machinist Mill worker	Marlboro Dublin	Elizabeth A. Dawes Henry Mattson Hilda Hendrickson	Holyoke, Ms. Springfield, Ms. Finland	1st 1st	Rv M Eck Marlboro
Feb. 22	Marlboro	Stanley I. King Clementine B. Poisson	Marlboro Marlboro	25 21	Machinist Packer	Winchester Keene	Jos. Labonbard Sadie R. Wright Francis King Geneva Cram,	Champlain, N. Y. Unknown Winchester Swansey	1st 1st	Rv M Eck Marlboro
Apr. 6	Malboro	Walter E. Clark, Jr. Ellen E. Floran	Royalston, Ms. Athol, Ms.	21 21	Student Nurse	Athol, Mass. Athol, Mass.	Genera LaValle Walter E. Clark Alice H. Bowers	Capletown, Can. Montpelier, Vt. Winchester Bedford, Ms.	1st 1st	B G Hall, J P Marlboro
Apr. 12	Marlboro	Leonard E. Mattson Ina E. Kaupi	Marlboro Marlboro	32 32	Shop wkr. At home	Marlboro Marlboro	Abner E. Floran Evelyn A. Magnus'n Henry Mattson Hilda Hendrickson	Westfield, Ms. Chicago, Ill. Finland Finland	1st 1st	Rv M Eck Marlboro
May 1	Keene	Joseph J. Hamelin Elsie E. Wheeler	Keene Marlboro	27 17	Rest. wkr. Rest. wkr.	Keene Hudson, Mass.	Fred Kauppi Anna Kunnari Mederick Hamelin Frances Facette Perley W. Wheeler Grace E. Davis	Finland Finland Unknown Unknown Hudson, Mass. Keene	1st 1st	H B Lane, J P Keene

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.



# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1946

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
May 18	Jaffrey	Albert C. Greene	Marlboro	27	Lumberman	Bennington	Frank B. Greene Ethel S. French	Weare Greenfield	1st	Rv A G Lund
		Marcia C. Noyes	Marlboro	27	Box shop wrk.	Colebrook	Charles D. Parker Estella B. Bryant	Canada W. Stewartstown	2d	Jaffrey
June 1	Winchester	Frank H. Gibson	Marlboro	22	Textile wkr.	Marlboro	Ralph P. Gibson Florence A. Hill	Leominster, Ms. Marlboro	1st	Rv E Flory
		Arlene C. Ward	Winchester	16	Waitress	Keene	Ray'd W. Ward, Sr. Alma M. Tetreault	Spofford Brattleboro, Vt.	1st	Winchester
June 7	Troy	Sointu K. Hendrickson	Marlboro	29	Machine opr.	Fitchburg, Ms.	Andrew Hend'kson Hilma Osterberg	Finland Finland	1st	Rv J C Prince
		Helmi A. Holt	Boston, Ms.	29	Machine opr.	Maynard, Ms.	Andrew Holt Helen Maki	Finland Finland	1st	Troy
June 22	Marlboro	Robert L. Bennett	Marlboro	21	Printer	Greenwich, Ct.	Arthur M. Bennett Ad'de M. Matthews	Marlboro St. Paul, Minn.	1st	Rv M Eck
		Corinne A. Clark	Marlboro	20	Stenographer	Marlboro	Fred R. Clark Lillian A. Flood	Marlboro Lynn, Mass.	1st	Marlboro
July 24	Antrim	Chas. H. Davidson	Bennington	21	U. S. Army	Bennington	Roy E. Davidson Mary Harrison	Bertrum, Ia. Antrim	1st	Rv H L Packard
		Catherine P. Tedford	Marlboro	18	At home	Keene	Arthur C. Tedford Lena Burlingham	Saratoga S., N. Y. Saratoga S., N. Y.	1st	Antrim
July 24	Marlboro	Frede'ck E. Sundstrom	Harrisville	24	Spinner	Dublin	Fred'k Sundstrom Senja E. Rasmus	Dublin Finland	1st	Rv L G Stratton
		Marguerite A. Morse	Marlboro	24	Bookkeeper	Marlboro	Francis H. Morse Dorothy Emmerson	Marlboro Keene	1st	Keene
Sept. 7	Marlboro	Robert P. Cannon	Keene	20	N. E. Tel. & Tel.	Washington, D. C.	Michel P. Cannon Alice K. Neitzky	Ireland Washington, D. C.	1st	Rv A J Brunelle
		Dori M. Beauregard	Marlboro	21	Beautician	Keene	Ludger Beaureg'd Diana M. Soucier	Marlboro Suncook	1st	Marlboro
Sept. 21	Marlboro	Isaac T. Truman, Jr.	Marlboro	21	Mechanic	Lebanon	Isaac T. Truman Irris E. Jones	Lebanon Lebanon	1st	Rv M Eck
		Esther M. Goodwin	Etna	18	At home	Hanover	Irran W. Goodwin Dorothy B. Hart	Plainfield Hanover	1st	Marlboro

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1946

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Oct. 6	Marlboro	Clayton S. Keith Geraldine E. LeMay	Swanzy Marlboro	21 20	Salesman Stenographer	Keene Hanover	Charles E. Keith Maude Morrison	Augusta, Me. New York, N. Y.	1st 1st	Rv M Eck Marlboro
Oct. 9	Marlboro	Edwin G. Ogilvie Mary E. Bushey	Marlboro Marlboro	46 41	Mechanic Weaver	Ludlow, Ms. Keene	Gwend'n Thom'n James U. Ogilvie Bessie Emery	Copperfield, Vt. Dundee, Scot. Dundee, Scot.	1st 1st	Rv A J Brunelle Marlboro
Nov. 2	Keene	Joseph L. Willett Ramona S. Pratt	Marlboro Keene	23 17	Lumberjack Shoe wkr.	Keene Keene	Emma Z. Harper Joseph L. Willette Jessie M. Lewis	Keene Canada Winchester	1st 1st	Rv A N Janes Keene
Nov. 2	Marlboro	Edward J. Maloney Esther A. Morse	Fitchburg, Ms. Fitchburg, Ms.	34 29	Plastic shop At home	Fitchburg, Ms. Templeton, Ms.	Nellie M. G'dnow John J. Maloney Mary C. Coughlin	Troy Ireland Maynard, Ms.	1st 1st	Rv M Eck Marlboro
Nov. 6	Nashua	William J. Aiken Hulda M. Merrill	Keene Marlboro	41 21	Stationary fireman At home	Fitchburg, Ms. Bristol	Maude M. Bishop Frank E. Aiken Ellen M. Ingraham	Swanzy Templeton, Ms. E. Jaffrey	1st 2d	Rv E F Nauss Nashua
Nov. 6	Keene	Dwight W. Tucker Margaret E. Mason	Keene Marlboro	29 24	U. S. Army Waitress	Douglas, Tex. Keene	Gertrude M. Grace Leander R. Tucker Lola V. King	New London Douglas, Tex. Saco, Tex.	2d 2d	Rv CB Chapman Keene
Nov. 25	Marlboro	Robert H. Norton Barbara E. Passeneau	Marlboro Marlboro	25 25	Mill worker Stitcher	Keene Marlboro	Merton T. Barron Eva J. LaRock Walter F. Norton Jessie J. Bliven Walter L. Pat'rson Alice M. Hayes	Keene Marlboro Proctorsville, Vt. Westerly, R. I. Unknown Marlboro	2d 2d	Keene

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# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MARLBORO, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1946

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age		Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.			Father.	Mother.		
1946									
Jan. 23	Ruth L. Robinson	56	6	4 Marlboro	F	M	Marlboro	Frank T. Wiswall	Margaret E. Mullen
" 29	Lilla M. Ward	88	3	14 Marlboro	F	S	Marlboro	Reuben A. Ward	Maria L. Hunt
Mar. 14	Cleris J. Croteau	82	6	20 St. Alphonse, Can.	M	M	St. Alphonse, Can	Cleophas Croteau	Lucy Cauchier
May 24	Alfreda A. Cheeseman	48	8	12 Medford, Ms.	F	M	No. Woburn, Ms.	John H. Kelley	Alice E. Tenney
June 22	Victoria D. Dumont	69	8	14 St. Alphonse, Can.	F	M	Canada	Frederick Croteau	Elize Cote
" 28	Federick J. Sunstrom	85	8	Finland	M	W	Finland	Unknown	Unknown
July 10	David J. Cloutier	70	10	30 Marlboro	M	W	Canada	Peter Cloutier	May Beaucage
" 18	Alma D. Mason	38	6	21 E. Sullivan	F	M	Nova Scotia, Can.	Sydney Dean	Susan
" 18	Edward J. Short	66	3	9 Hoosick Falls, N. Y.	M	M	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
" 19	Michael Harty	81	4	28 Keene	M	S	Ireland	Michael Harty	Margaret Irwin
Aug. 7	Infant Holman	0	0	0 Keene	M	S	Fitzwilliam	Lloyd Holman	Florence M. Fortin
" 19	John J. Royds	72	1	24 England	M	M	England	James Royds	Annie Forbes
Sept. 16	Blanche Partridge	58	8	1 Keene	F	M	Brookline, Vt.	Joel C. Stebbins	Emily J. Trout
Oct. 14	Infant Swasey	0	0	0 Keene	M	M	Canada	Charles Rivers	Dorothy Swasey
" 17	Henry Rivers	76	0	14 Sheldon, Vt.	M	W	Canada	Louis Bruce	Mary Challant
Nov. 20	Lydia B. Morse	68	4	7 Rockport, Ms.	F	M	Canada	Robert A. MacKenzie	Eteliene Cretiene
Dec. 1	Arthur W. Mackenzie	22	9	5 Thorndike, Ms.	M	M	Thorndike, Ms.	Samuel Littlefield	Marie S. Warner
" 9	Addie L. Trombley	71	10	13 Quincy, Mass.	F	W	Unknown	Clark Hill	Edwards
" 12	Hulda J. Derby	88	8	29 Preston, Conn.	F	W	Unknown	Albert C. Greene	Hulda Avery
" 18	Infant Greene	0	0	0 Keene	F	S	Bennington	Charles Bouvier	Marcia C. Parker
" 25	Frank E. Bouvier	81	8	7 Ludlow, Mass.	M	D	Canada	Herbert J. Richardson	Ellen Barde
" 28	Charles E. Richardson	35	4	27 Marlboro	M	S	Marlboro		Nettie E. Whitney

\* Single, married or widowed

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

OSCAR F. CROTEAU,  
Town Clerk.









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## **HELP YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN PREVENT FIRES—IT PAYS!**

The prevention of forest fires is the most important and difficult part of the work of your forest fire warden who heads a local organization set up primarily for the security of your community's forest property. The importance and value of the work of the forest fire warden and his deputies is, perhaps, best appreciated during hazardous periods when fire danger is greatest. The public, however, looks to him at all times for speedy and economical suppression of going fires

To properly fulfill his mission, the warden needs the generous and understanding cooperation of the public at large. He attempts to secure this cooperation by the posting of caution notices, news items and by word of mouth, always carefully explaining the necessity of restrictions imposed. In the matter of giving cooperation, however, the public often fails. The record shows that an average of 7,300 acres of woodland are burned over by forest fires in New Hampshire each year. Analysis of fire causes reveal the fact that more than 98 percent of all forest fires are, consistently, the result of human carelessness and are preventable.

The careless smoker fails to properly extinguish his cigar, cigarette or pipe ashes or thoughtlessly throws them from the car window; the debris burner fails or refuses to consult the warden, as the law requires when the ground is not covered with snow, before attempting to burn; campers fail to properly extinguish their fires or frequently build fires when conditions are unfavorable.

Remember these rules:

1. Use ordinary common sense with fire in and near woodland.
2. Comply with requirements on the use of fire in and near woodland and when the ground is not covered with snow, secure written permission to burn from the forest fire warden.
3. Be careful when smoking in or near woodlands. Don't throw lighted material from moving vehicles.
4. Cooperate with and assist the warden and urge others to do so.
5. **HELP YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN PREVENT FIRES—**his efforts are only as effective as is the cooperation you give him!

**F. J. BAKER,**  
District Fire Chief.

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